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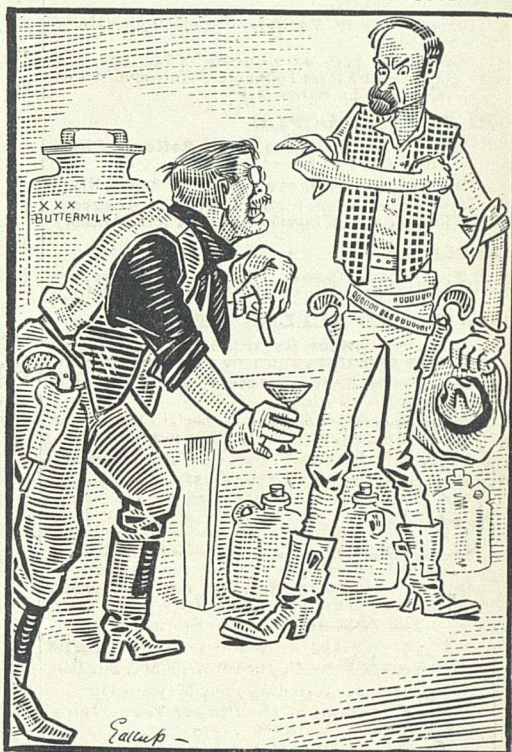
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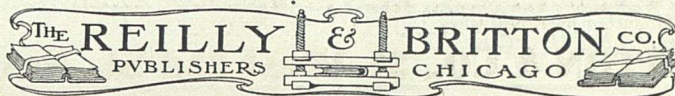
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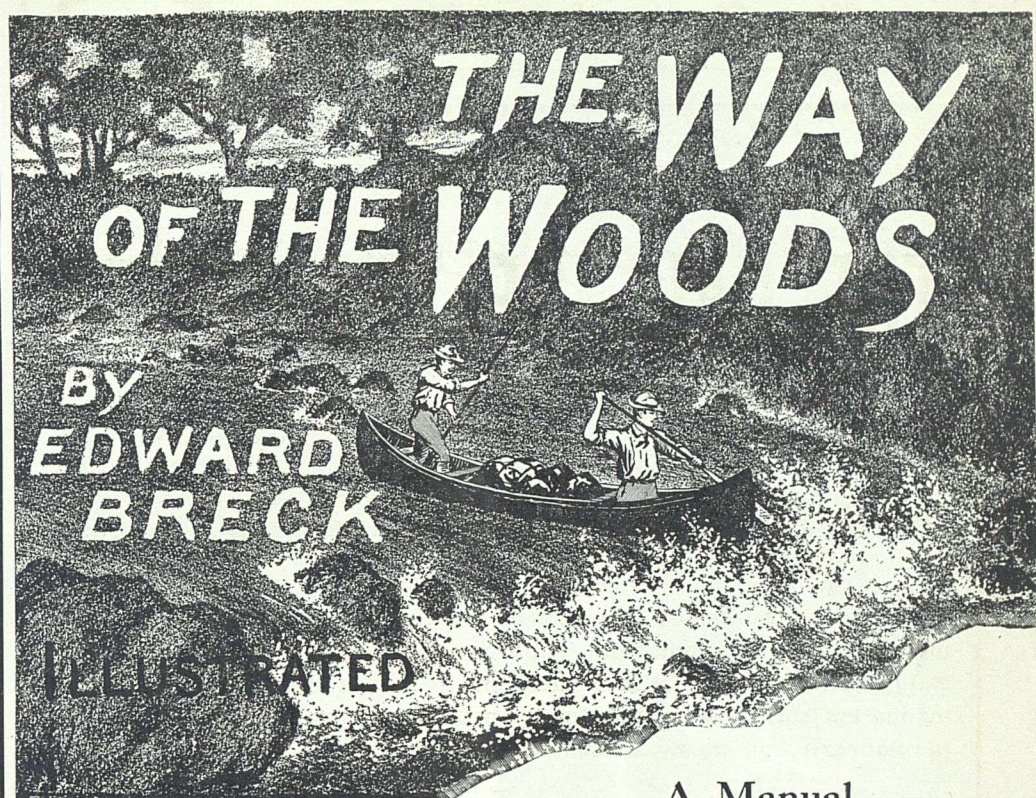
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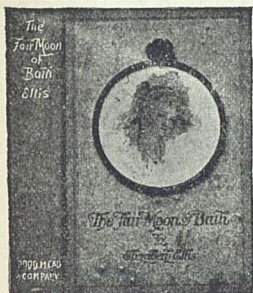
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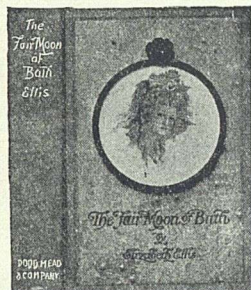
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Alger, Horatio, jr. Wait and win: the story of Jack Drummond's pluck; with four page il. by J. Watson Davis. N. Y., A. L. Burt Co., [1908.] c. 279 p. 12°, cl., †\$1.

Allen, Caroline Stetson. Little old-time Sunday, and other stories; foreword by Rob. Collyer. [West Newton, Mass., Caroline S. Allen, 1908.] 9-77 p. il. O. cl., 75 c.

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American Academy of Political and Social Science. Lessons of the financial crisis. Phil., American Academy of Political and Social Science, 1908. c. 6+301-533 p. Q. (Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.) pap., \$1.

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a symposium; Infant mortality in the American cities—a symposium; The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children; Book department.

Andersen, Hans Christian. The ugly duckling, and other stories: in the amanuensis style of phonography by Benn Pitman and Jerome B. Howard. Cin., Phonographic Institute Co., 1907, [1908.] 49 p. 16°, cl., 25 c.

Bailey, Mrs. Alice Ward, [Mrs. A. G. Bailey, "A. B. Ward," pseud.] The sage brush parson. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., [1908.] c. '05. 6+390 p. D. (Popular eds. of recent fiction.) cl., †75 c.

Ball, Ja. T. Detailed working drawings of the five orders of architecture: [5 charts.] N. Y., William T. Comstock, [1908.] 20 x 30 in., mounted on muslin, \$6.50; on cardboard, \$7.50; also Portfolio ed., containing 17 pls. 14 x 21 in., cl., \$4.

Barnard, J. U. Missouri. N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. c. 10+60 p. il. map, sq. 8°, (Tarr and McMurry geographies, supplementary v.) pap., *20 c. *net*.

Author is principal of the Humboldt School, Kansas City.

Best, Nolan Rice. Beyond the natural order: essays on prayer, miracles and the incarnation. N. Y. and Chic., Revell, 1908. c. 149 p. 12°, cl., *75 c. *net*.

Beyer, T: The American battleship and life in the navy; also humorous yarns as told by a bluejacket: (the American battleship in commission;) published by special authority of U. S. Navy Department; endorsed by Admiral Dewey and Rear-Admiral Evans. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1908.] c. 246 p. pls. por. tabs., map, D. cl., \$1.25.

Published by special authority of the U. S. Navy Department, endorsed by Admiral Dewey and Rear-Admiral Evans. Contains latest tables of battle ships, armored and protected cruisers, monitors, vessels built and building, showing size, displacement, tonnage, caliber and number of guns, gun power, armor and number of officers and men. Double-page map, lithographed in four colors, showing present route of fleet to the Pacific and the probable return trip via Suez Canal, with distances within stopping points. Book of reference for naval matters.

Blain, Herbert E., ed. Pitman's secretary's handbook: a practical guide to the work and duties in connection with the position of secretary to a joint-stock company, public institution, member of parliament, etc. N. Y., Isaac Pitman & Sons, 1908. 8+366+16 p. O. cl., \$2.

This work is the production of five authors. Mr. Blain, Tramways Manager, County Borough of West Ham, England, himself contributes a general

introduction, and the various other sections have been written by English experts in the branches of secretarial work dealt with, viz., Secretary to a joint stock company; Secretary to a charitable institution; Secretary to a member of Parliament or other public man; and Private secretary to a country gentleman.

Blair, Matilda, comp. Our holidays: recitations and exercises for New Year, Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays, Memorial, Flag, Independence, Labor, Thanksgiving, and Christmas days. N. Y., McLoughlin Bros., [1908.] c. '06. 3-176 p. il. pors. D. cl., 50 c.

Brebner, Percy Ja., ["Christian Lys," *pseud.*] Vayenne; il. by E. Fuhr. N. Y., John McBride Co., [1908.] c. '07, '08. 341 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

Vayenne is supposed to be a little duchy near Passy in the Savoyard country of France. A young man travels there and overhears a conspiracy between a priest and soldier at a little inn. That night the Duke dies, and in finally putting his rightful successor on the throne the traveller and a misshapen dwarf go through many adventures. His reward is the hand of the Duke's daughter in approved old-time order.

Breck, E., M.D. The way of the woods: a manual for sportsmen in northeastern United States and Canada; with 80 illustrations. N. Y., Putnam, 1908. c. 17+436 p. D. cl., **\$1.75 net.

Contains concise yet thorough and authoritative information on every subject connected with life in the North woods, such as outfitting, fishing, shooting, canoeing, tenting, trapping, photography, hygiene, the protection of nature, etc.

Brewer, I: Williams, M.D. Personal hygiene in tropical and semi-tropical countries: a popular manual, written for the use of foreigners residing in the Philippines, Cuba and other portions of the tropics. Phil., F. A. Davis Co., 1908. c. 130 p. 16°, cl., *\$1 net.

Bromwich, T. J. Fanson. An introduction to the theory of infinite series. N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. 13+511 p. diagrs., 8°, cl., *\$4.50 net.

For students who have mastered the differentiation and integration of the simpler functions and the geometrical meaning of the operations of infinite series. Prof. Bromwich is fellow and lecturer of St. John's College, Cambridge, Eng., formerly professor of mathematics in Queens College, Galway, and fellow of the Royal University of Ireland. His book is based on courses of lectures on elementary analysis given at Queens College, Galway, during each of the sessions, 1902-1907.

Brown, C: Campbell. China in legend and story. N. Y. and Chic., Revell, 1907, [1908.] 253 p. pors. pls. D. cl., *\$1.25 net.

Seventeen stories dealing with ancient Chinese traditions and illustrating the social conditions, religious motive, and other phases of Chinese life. The scene of the majority is the hilly country of southern Fukien, where the famous old-world city of Chinchew stands, and where the author for ten years did missionary work for the China Mission Society. The tales aim to show how Chinese people live and think, first when they are heathens, and afterwards when they are Christians.

Bulwer-Lytton, Sir E: G: Earle Lytton, [Lord Lytton.] Rienzi: the last of the Roman tribunes. N. Y., Dutton, 1908. 23+424 p. 12°, (New universal lib.) cl., 50 c.; leath., 75 c.

Bungalows, camps and mountain houses. N. Y., William T. Comstock, 1908. il. plans, 8°, bds., \$2.

Butler, Hiram Erastus. The goal of life; or, science and revelation. Applegate, Cal., Esoteric Publishing Co., 1908. c. 11+363 p. por. pls. 12°, cl., \$2.

The wonders of science and the sublimity of religion are explained according to Esoteric doctrines, so that a full understanding of the teachings here given may make readers able "to intelligently work in harmony with the divine mind" towards the goal of life—perfect harmony and happiness.

Campbell, W: Francis, M.D. A text-book of surgical anatomy. Phil., W. B. Saunders Co., 1908. c. 675 p. il. 8°, cl., *\$5 net; hf. mor., *\$6.50 net.

Carman, W: Bliss. The making of personality. Bost., L. C. Page & Co., 1908. c. '06-'08. 9+375 p. front. D. cl., \$1.50; levant mor., \$3.50.

Essays on self-culture and character-building. Some of the titles are: The meaning of personality; The underglow; The lucky pilot; The winged victory; The silver string; Rhythms of grace; Beauty of the foot; The art of walking; Dancing as a fine art; The music of life; The sorcery of the hand; The might of manners; The use of out-of-doors, etc.

Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh. Catalogue of books; annotated and arranged, and provided by the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh for the use of the first eight grades in the Pittsburgh schools. Pittsburgh, Pa., Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, 1907, [1908.] 5-331 p. O. pap., 35 c.

Chadwick, H., ed. Spalding's official baseball guide, 1908. 32d year. N. Y., American Sports Publishing Co., [1908.] c. 367 p. il. pors. pls. S. (Spalding's athletic lib.) pap., 10 c.

Chipman, W: Pendleton. In defense of liberty: a story of the burning of the British schooner "Gaspee" in 1772. N. Y., A. L. Burt Co., 1908. c. 280 p. il. 12°, cl., *\$1.

Cook, Marion. Where flows Hood River; il. with photographs and drawings by the author. Portland, Ore., Hicks-Chatten Engraving Co., 1907, [1908.] c. 96 p. sq. 12°, bds., \$1.

A little river of Oregon that flows into the Columbia inspires the writer to write enthusiastic little verses, illustrated with pictures photographed from nature. Gotten up on fine paper, printed on alternate pages, with red letters and ornamentation of red strawberries. The singer evidently loves the pretty place in which her lines are cast.

Coombs, Ja. Vincent. Christian evangelism. Cin., Standard Publishing Co., [1908.] c. '07. 7+131 p. 12°, cl., 75 c.; flex. cl., 25 c.

Corbett, Julian Stafford. England in the seven years' war: a study in combined strategy. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1907, [1908.] 2 v., il. maps, 8°, cl., \$6.

"Country (The) Contributor," pseud. The ideas of a plain country woman. N. Y., Doubleday, Page & Co., 1908. c. '06, '07, '08. 6+3-235 p. D. cl., **\$1 net.

Articles embodying sane and humorous views on everyday affairs. Originally published in *The Ladies' Home Journal* and in *The Indianapolis News*. Their titles are: The woman who wears a halo; By way of retrospect; A February monologue; Rough thoughts of rough weather; Philosophies of a house-cleaning day; The simple life; The marriage question; Some Needs of Women; The truth about love; Old maids and single women; A chapter for men to read; The higher education; A big day; The good and evil of books—as they pertain to women's lives; The sin of trying to be good; Reflections of a grandmother.

Cunning, Jos., M.D. Aids to surgery. 2d ed. N. Y., William Wood & Co., 1908. 410 p. 16°, (Students' aids ser.) cl., *\$1.25 net.

Curle, R. H. P. Aspects of George Meredith; with engraved portrait by G. F. Watts. N. Y., Dutton, 1908. 8°, cl., *\$1.75 net.

Daudet, Alphonse. Sappho; tr. by G. Burnham Ives; with an introd. by Ja. L. Ford. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., [1908.] c. '99. 12+256 p. front. D. (Popular eds. of recent fiction.) cl., 75 c.

Defoe, Daniel. Adventures of Robinson Crusoe; with introd. and notes by T. W. Silverdale. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1908. 9+226 p. il. D. cl., *75 c. net.

Delannoy, Burford. Prince Charlie; with frontispiece. N. Y., R. F. Fenno & Co., [1908.] 5-318 p. D. cl., *\$1 net.

The author of "The Margate mystery" once more keeps the secret of relationships closely while telling the story of an author who ingratiates himself with a little four-year-old and becomes her "Prince Charlie." The mother is first supposed to be the governess; the neighbors gossip and worry Prince Charlie, but finally all goes right and Prince Charlie finds nothing in the way of his happiness.

Dickens, C. A tale of two cities; ed., with an introd. and notes, by Julian W. Abernethy. N. Y., Charles E. Merrill Co., [1908.] c. 634 p. por. 16°, (Merrill's English texts.) cl., 50 c.

Dudley, Albertus True. The Yale cup; il. by C. Copeland. Bost., Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co., [1908.] c. 11+301 p. D. (Phillips Exeter ser.) cl., *\$1.25.

The "cup" is an annual prize given by a club of Yale alumni to the member of the senior class of each of several preparatory schools "who best combines proficiency in athletics with good standing in his studies." It is the most-desired honor of the course in the great school where the scene of the story is laid, and the contrast is sharply drawn between the ambitious student who craftily studies the steps that lead to favor with the faculty and prominence in the student body, and the one who makes conscientious use of ordinary abilities, mental and physical, with only the thought of self-improvement, service to his school, and honorable relations with all.

Durham, Rob. Lee. The call of the South; il. by H. Roth. Bost., L. C. Page & Co., 1908. c. 439 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

The author, a Southern lawyer, in a strong novel dealing with the race problem in this country, shows the danger to society from the increasing miscegenation of the black and white races. His hero is a young Harvard graduate, in whose veins runs a slight mixture of negro blood. He is represented as possessing every desirable quality—is handsome, honorable, well-bred and highly patriotic. He looks almost white, but when his story is known his experience is most painful. He marries a white girl of good social position, their first child coming into the world a thorough little negro—the mother becoming a maniac. This is the author's final and convincing climax to his apparent logical arguments.

Edwards, Owen Morgan. A short history of Wales. Chic., University of Chicago Press, 1907, [1908.] 15+139 p. geneal. tab., 4 maps, 12°, cl., *75 c. net.

Evening Post book of bank reports; containing the complete reports at the close of business, February 14, 1908, of all the National Banks of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and Pittsburgh, and of the leading banks of the principal banking cen-

tres of the United States, besides other interesting and complete statistical matter of interest to bankers and financial institutions. [Also] Reports of Canadian banks. N. Y., Evening Post, 1908. c. pap., 15 c.

Fairbanks, Arthur. Athenian lekythoi, with outline drawing in glaze varnish on a white ground. N. Y., Macmillan, 1907, [1908.] c. 10+371 p. il. pls. 4°, (University of Michigan studies, Humanistic ser.) cl., \$4.

Lekythoi were vases for wine or oil, tall in proportion to diameter, with long necks.

Farrington, E. Holyoke, and Woll, Fritz Wilhelm. Testing milk and its products: a manual for dairy students, creamery and cheese factory operators, food chemists, and dairy farmers. 18th rev. and enl. ed. Madison, Wis., Mendota Book Co., 1908. c. 8+292 p. il. por. tabs., D. cl., \$1.

Both authors are connected with the University of Wisconsin, the first as professor in charge of dairy school, the second as professor of agricultural chemistry. The present edition contains descriptions of methods and apparatus that have stood the test of actual use during the past few years; the new information, published since the last revision of the book, has been carefully sifted, and what was deemed of sufficient importance has been incorporated in such detail as the scope of the book permitted; many changes and additions suggested by the experience of the authors have also been introduced.

Field, Louise Maunsell. Katherine Trevelyan. N. Y., McClure Co., 1908. c. 347 p. D. cl., *\$1.50.

The orphan heroine came with high ideals, much money and a heart yearning for sympathy and individual affection into the most ultra-fashionable society of New York City. A card sharper deceives her, gets her to give him half her fortune and takes her into such vile company among the fashionable set that she leaves him. Her views of divorce are given. She meets a good man, who proves a friend, and his best friend knows the villain of old and helps him get his deserts. The tone of New York frivolous society is given with realism.

Fischer-Dueckelmann, Anna, M.D. The wife as the family physician: a practical work of reference for the family in health and sickness, with special attention to diseases of women and children, married life, sexual hygiene, child-birth, care of children, family hygiene, etc.; with 440 original text-ils and 27 full-page original color-plates and art-prints; tr. and adapted with the collaboration of a staff of eminent physicians. Milwaukee, Wis., International Medical Book Co., 1908. c. 8+870 p. por. Q. cl., \$5.

Author is graduate of the University of Zurich and a practicing physician of Dresden. She dedicates this translation to American womanhood. The first part is devoted to a general treatise on hygiene for women and children; the second, sub-titled The art of healing, is arranged in encyclopedic form to make a work of ready reference, to be kept as "the golden book for the home." All statements are explained by copious illustrations. Even doctors may find the book of service, for the author instructs her readers far beyond the domain of home treatment. The first publication of a new firm.

Forbush, W. Byron. The broadening path: a treasure book for boys and girls, together with Firelight and children's faces: a book of help for fathers and mothers, by W. Byron Forbush, with editorial assistance by G. L. Howe. In 2 v. Indianapolis, Ind., B. F. Bowen & Co., 1907, [1908.] c. '06.

826; 827-1558 p. il. pors. pls. O. buckram, \$5; hf. leath., \$8.

A perfect treasure house of information and amusement for young people and their parents. Full details are given for preserving the health through cleanliness and observing sanitary rules and taking exercise; also for acquiring good manners. Over a hundred stories are given taken from the best writers, each one illustrating some desirable virtue or quality. The volumes are rich in bibliographies pointing to further reading matter and there are subject indexes.

Fowler, G. Little. Locomotive breakdowns, emergencies and their remedies: an up-to-date catechism treating on accidents and breakdowns on the road and how to repair them; contains over 400 questions with their answers; rev. and enlarged by W. W. Wood. 5th ed., rev. and enl. N. Y., Norman W. Henley Publishing Co., 1908. c. 266 p. il. diags., 16°, cl., \$1.

Gasquet, Abbot Francis Aidan. The last abbot of Gladstonbury, and other essays. N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. 8+330 p. il. 12°, cl., \$2 net.

Historical essays by the erudite Abbot President of the English Benedictines. "The last abbot of Gladstonbury," a reprint from a small book published for a special occasion in 1895, is an account of incidents connected with the life and martyrdom of Richard Whiting, the last abbot in the Arithmæan cradle of the Anglican church.

Gibbon, Edward. Autobiography of Edward Gibbon, as originally edited by Lord Sheffield; with an introd. by J. B. Bury. N. Y., Oxford University Press, (Amer. Branch,) [1907.] 31+339 p. 16°, (World's classics.) cl., 50 c.; leath., 75 c.

Glyn, Margaret H. The rhythmic conception of music. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1907, [1908.] 9+191 p. 12°, cl., \$1.20.

Griffin, Martin Ignatius Joseph. The story of Commodore John Barry, "the father of the American navy," [1745-1803.] Phil., Martin I. J. Griffin, 1908. c. 96 p. il. 8°, cl., \$1; pap., 50 c.

Contains the pith and substance of the author's two books on the Commodore without the long historical documents.

Hains, Thornton Jenkins. Bahama Bill, mate of the wrecking sloop "Sea-horse"; with a front. in colour by H. R. Reuter Dahl. Bost., L. C. Page & Co., 1908. c. 4+368 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

A collection of short stories having a certain cohesion, as they are all of the sea, some of the characters being made use of in several incidents. The scene throughout is laid in the region of the Florida Keys. The hero, the giant mate of the wrecking sloop, is brave and daring, figuring in many exciting escapades while plying his desperate trade. Author of "The black barque," etc.

Hale, Albert. Savings bank investments. 4th ed. Bost., Albert Hale, 1908. c. '07. 3-38 p. Tt. leath., \$1.50.

In this edition, corrected to date, the scope has been extended so that the book now gives, in a very condensed form, the laws governing the classes of personal securities (bonds and stocks) in which savings banks throughout the entire United States are allowed to invest their funds.

Hall, Francis Jos., D.D. Dogmatic theology. In 10 v. v. 2, Authority, ecclesiastical and biblical. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1908. c. 16+300 p. D. cl., **\$1.50 net.

Dr. Hall is professor of dogmatic theology in the Western Theological Seminary, Chicago. The first volume of this series—"Introduction"—was

published last year and noticed in P. W., April 20. Each volume will constitute a complete work in itself, and will when completed form together a connected treatise on dogmatic theology.

Hauptmann, Gerhart. Hannele: a dream poem; rendered into English verse and prose by C. H. Meltzer. N. Y., Doubleday, Page & Co., 1908. c. 103 p. D. cl., **\$1 net.

The translator of the present drama also translated the author's "The sunken bell." This version of "Hannele" was used in the spring of 1894 at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York, when the play was performed for the first time on the English-speaking stage, with the approval of the author, who was present.

Hawkins, Anthony Hope, ["Anthony Hope," pseud.] Love's logic, and other stories. N. Y., McClure Co., 1908. c. 3-322 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

A collection of short stories which reveals the well-known author of "The Dolly dialogues" at his best. There are fifteen stories dealing in the main with different aspects of life among the upper and aristocratic classes of England, often penetrating even higher, into the homes and hearts of royalty.

Houston, Edwin Ja. The wonder book of the atmosphere; with 69 illustrations. N. Y., Frederick A. Stokes Co., [1908.] c. '07. 10+326 p. D. (Wonder books of science.) cl., \$1.50.

By the author of "The wonder book of volcanoes and earthquakes." The purpose is to bring home to the young reader the fascination of the marvels of nature, and to explain the wonderful laws which govern them. The shape, height and composition of the atmosphere; sound waves, echoes and sound marvels; climate, "probabilities" and the methods of the weather bureau; storms, cyclones, waterspouts, mysterious showers; heat and light; mirages and rainbows, are some of the subjects treated.

Hoxie, G. Howard, M.D. Practice of medicine for nurses: a text-book for nurses and students of domestic science, and a hand-book for all those who care for the sick; with a chapter on the technic of nursing by Pearl L. Laptad. Phil., W. B. Saunders Co., 1908. c. 284 p. il. pls. 8°, cl., \$1.50 net.

Hubbell, Alvin Allace. The development of ophthalmology in America, 1800 to 1870: a contribution to ophthalmologic history and biography: an address delivered in abstract before the section of ophthalmology of the American Medical Association, June 4, 1907; rev. and enl.: il. by selected portraits and cuts. Chic., [W. T. Keener & Co.,] 1908. c. 197 p. 12°, cl., \$1.50.

Inge, W. Ralph. Personal idealism and mysticism: the Paddock lectures for 1906, delivered at the General Assembly, New York. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1907, [1908.] 10+186 p. 12°, cl., \$1.

Contents: Preface; 1, Our knowledge of God; 2, Sources and growth of the Logos-Christology; 3, Development and permanent value of the Logos-Christology; 4, The problem of personality; 5, Thought and will; 6, The problem of sin.

Jebb, Camilla. A star of the salons: Julie de Lespinasse; with 20 illustrations. N. Y., Putnam, [1908.] 12+343 p. O. cl., **\$3.50 net.

A detailed life of Julie de Lespinasse, in which the author has made use of the many studies previously published and also of much new material. In addition to the biography of the fair Julie and an account of her own salon, the reader is introduced especially to the salons of Mme. du Deffand,

Mme. d'Epinay and Mme. Geoffrin. In her introduction Miss Jebb says: "I have ventured to hope that the story of Julie de Lespinasse, as seen by a biographer of her own sex and of different nationality, may reveal some aspects of the case hitherto unnoticed and not without interest." Index.

Jevons, W: Stanley. Studies in deductive logic: a manual for students. N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. 28+304 p. diagrs., 12°, cl., *\$1.60 net.

Jones, E: R. Notes on drainage: class room, field, and laboratory exercises for students of land drainage. Madison, Wis., Edward R. Jones, [1908.] c. 166 p. il. 12°, cl., \$1.25.

Jones, J. Arnold, M.D. A short practice of aural surgery; for the use of students and practitioners. N. Y., John Lane Co., (The Bodley Head,) 1908. 12+264 p. il. diagrs., D. (Practitioner's handbooks; ed. by Harry Roberts.) cl., *\$1.75 net.

The author is Hon. assistant surgeon Manchester Eye and Ear Hospital; formerly house surgeon Royal Ear Hospital, London. *Contents.* Important anatomical points in connection with the ear; Clinical examination of the patient—Use of instruments; Diseases of the external ear; Acute diseases of the middle ear; Chronic suppurative diseases of the middle ear; Diseases of the mastoid process; Intracranial complications; Chronic non-suppurative diseases of the middle ear; Operations; Diseases of the internal ear—Deaf-mutism. Appendix I, Common German medical terms used in relation to aural surgery with conversational examples; Appendix II, Formulæ. Index.

Jones, Rev. Jesse H: Joshua Davidson, Christian: the story of the life of one who, in the nineteenth century, was "like unto Christ"; as told by his body-servant: a parable; ed. by Halah H. Loud. N. Y., Grafton Press, [1908.] c. '07. 18+308 p. pors. O. cl., \$1.50.

The dedication describes the author as a "minister of the gospel, soldier, author, reformer, one who loved God with all his heart." He was of New England parentage, born in 1836, died in 1904, being at that time pastor of the Congregational Church at Halifax, near North Abington, Mass. In a foreword he says: "This book is an attempt to set forth, in outline at least, the sphere of the gospel of the kingdom of God, as Jesus proclaimed it, giving the life, the ideal, the historical unfolding, and the present status of that kingdom." Joshua Davidson is purely a fictitious character who is made to utter the teachings to which Mr. Jones devoted his life.

Kaler, Ja. Otis, ["James Otis," *pseud.*] Afloat in freedom's cause: the story of two boys in the war of 1812. N. Y., A. L. Burt Co., 1908. c. 343 p. il. 12°, cl., †\$1.

Kramer, Harold Morton. The Castle of Dawn; il. by H. C. Edwards. Bost., Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co., [1908.] c. 5+409 p. D. cl., †\$1.50.

By the author of "Hearts and the cross." Described as "a story of love, recklessness, intrigue, bravery, and final good fortune crowning as wild an episode as ever was shared by a handsome and prominent young man and woman. The "Castle" is in the Ozark Mountains and how the hero and heroine find their fortunes cast together there under the most romantic and puzzling circumstances, with the tragic events which crowd each other, and the final unravelling make up a story that carries the interest to the end.

Kreymborg, Alfred. Love and life, and other studies. N. Y., Grafton Press, [1908.] c. 5-65 p. D. bds., **\$1 net.

Brief reflections on the following subjects: Love and life; Realism and idealism; Happiness; Joy;

Destiny; Unselfishness; Judgment; Contentment; The nude; Laughter; Good and evil; Death; Fate and the man, etc.

Lamb, C: Essays of Elia; ed., with introd. and notes, by J. H. Castleman. N. Y., Charles E. Merrill Co., [1908.] c. 589 p. por. 16°, (Merrill's English texts.) cl., 50 c. Bibliography (2 p.).

Leibnitz, Gottfried Wilhelm von. The philosophical works of Leibnitz; tr. from the original Latin and French, with notes by G: Martin Duncan. 2d ed. New Haven, Ct., Tuttle, Morehouse & Taylor Co., 1908. c. 9+409 p. 8°, cl., \$2.50. Notes (largely bibliographical) (28 p.).

Lewis, Arthur M. Evolution: social and organic. Chic., Charles H. Kerr & Co., 1908. 3-186+6 p. S. (Standard socialist ser.) cl., 50 c.

Popular lectures which trace the early beginnings of evolutionary thought in Greece, outline the general theory of evolution as discovered by Lamarck and Darwin, discuss Weissman's theory of the non-transmission of acquired characteristics, DeVries' theory of mutation, Kropotkin's "Mutual aid," etc. In each lecture the relation of evolution to socialism is explained.

Longfellow, H: Wadsworth. Tales of a wayside inn; with introd. and notes by M. A. Eaton. Bost., Educational Publishing Co., [1908.] c. 151 p. 16°, (Classic lib.) cl., 25 c.; pap., 15 c.

Lusk, Mrs. Alice Freeman. A woman's answer to Roosevelt: a story on race suicide. [Los Angeles, Cal., Commercial Printing House, 1908.] c. 13-109 p. D. cl., 75 c.

In story form the author pictures three marriages, one in particular embodying her views upon a woman's lot who is the mother of eleven children. Her many sacrifices and endless labor and her early death just as her husband has become wealthy are described with painful realism. She is quickly forgotten, a new wife soon taking her place.

Luther, Martin. The letters of Martin Luther; selected and tr. by Margaret A. Currie. N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. 35+482 p. 8°, cl., *\$3.75 net.

Long imbedded in Latin and in old German works, these letters are now made accessible to all classes by the present excellent translation.

Lutz, Mrs. Grace Livingston Hill-. Marcia Schuyler; with a front. in color by Anna Whelan Betts and six il. in tint by E. L. Henry. Phil., Lippincott, 1908. c. 348 p. D. cl., †\$1.50.

Kate Schuyler on the eve of being married to a man her parents have approved of in every way elopes with a former admirer. The Schuylers are well-to-do people of the early days of the past century. They bitterly resent the humiliation of their daughter's wild act. Marcia is Kate's younger sister, who has always admired her prospective brother-in-law, while he has felt for her a warm brotherly affection. That the wedding may take place influence is brought to bear to have her replace Kate, and she becomes a wife, scarcely realizing her responsibilities. Her life with her husband is the story. He learns to love her deeply and trust her utterly.

Maclaren, Alex., D.D. Expositions of Holy Scriptures. In 30 v. 3d ser. In 6 v. v. 1, The Acts of the apostles: chapter XIII. to end; v. 2, 3, 4, The gospel according to St. John: chapters I. to VIII.; IX. to XIV.; XV. to XXI.; v. 5, The second book of Kings from chap. VIII., and the books of Chronicles, Ezra, and Nehemiah; v. 6, The books of

- Esther, Job, Proverbs, and Ecclesiastes. N. Y., A. C. Armstrong & Son, 1908. 8+385; 8+383; 8+402; 8+401; 8+409; 8+399 p. O. cl., per set, *\$7.50 net.
- Marshall, H. E.** Stories of Guy of Warwick, told to the children by H. E. Marshall; with pictures by L. D. Luard. N. Y., Dutton, [1908.] 9+109 p. col. pl. 16°, (Told to the children ser.; ed. by Louey Chisholm.) cl., 50 c.
- Merrill, Lilburn, M.D.** Winning the boy. N. Y. and Chic., Revell, 1908. c. 160 p. 12°, cl., *75 c. net.
- Merrill, Selah, D.D.** Ancient Jerusalem. N. Y. and Chic., Revell, 1908. c. 419 p. 8°, cl., *\$6 net.
Mr. Selah Merrill, for sixteen years American Consul at Jerusalem, has put into this work the result of thirty-five years' continuous study and exploration of the remains of the ancient city. The work contains over 100 charts, maps, and photographs, many of which throw light on subjects which have hitherto been veiled in obscurity. Taking the year 70 A.D., the year of the Siege of Titus, as a starting point, and Josephus as a guide, the author has searched the ruins and excavated the grounds, and thus brings to the reader all that may be definitely known about the arrangement of the ancient city.
- Miles, Alfred H.; ed.** Poets and poetry of the xixth century. In 12 v. v. 12, E. H. Plumptre to Selwyn Image. N. Y., Dutton, 1908. 18+396+22 p. 16°, cl., *50 c. net; leath., *\$1 net.
- Mill, J. Stuart.** Utilitarianism. N. Y., Dutton, 1908. 128 p. 12°, (New universal lib.) cl., 50 c.; leath., 75 c.
- More, Sir T.** The Utopia of Sir Thomas More; tr. by Ralph Robinson; with introd. and notes by H. B. Cotterill. N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. 44+218 p. 16°, cl., *50 c. net.
- Morris, Samuel.** Glimpses of the life of Samuel Morris, of Olney, Pa., by his daughter. Phil., S. N. Rhoads, Franklin Book Shop, 1907, [1908.] c. 206 p. il. por. cl., 75 c.
A memoir of one of the best known of the modern Apostles of Philadelphia Quakerism. His missionary travels in many lands are described in detail.
- Motley, Ja. Marvin.** Apprenticeship in American trade unions. Balt., Md., Johns Hopkins Press, 1907, [1908.] c. 16+122 p. 8°, (Johns Hopkins Univ. studies in hist. and pol. sci.) pap., 50 c.
- Murphy, T.; Dowler.** British highways and byways from a motor car: being a record of a five thousand mile tour in England, Wales and Scotland; with 16 il. in colour and 32 duogravures from photographs; also two descriptive maps. Bost., L. C. Page & Co., 1908. c. 5+318 p. D. cl., \$3, boxed; levant mor., \$7, boxed.
An interesting record of a summer motor tour in Great Britain by an American who took his car with him and drove over some thousands of miles of British roads. The tour includes the cities, towns and villages, the solitary ruins, the literary shrines, every cathedral in the island and many of the quaintest and most fascinating out-of-the-way places not on the usual route of travel.
- Musick, J. Roy.** The real America in romance; with reading courses, being a complete and authentic history of America from the time of Columbus to the present day; 40 il. in photogravures, 100 half-tone pls., maps of the period and numerous pen-and-ink drawings, by F. A. Carter. In 14 v. Chic., W. H. Wise & Co., 1908. c. 8°, complete work, buckram, \$43.50; hf. mor., \$51.50; mor., \$62.50.
Published in 1892-1900 as the "Columbian historical novels."
- Newbolt, Canon W. C.; Edmund.** The sacrament of the altar. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1908. 9+297 p. D. (Oxford lib. of practical theology; ed. by Rev. W. C. E. Newbolt and Rev. Darwell Stone.) cl., *\$1.40 net.
By the canon and chancellor of St. Paul's, London. *Contents:* The presence of God; The promise of a special presence; The manner of the presence; The type of the manna; Preparation for Holy Communion; The eucharistic sacrifice; The Lord's table; Eucharistic adoration; Ritual; Steps to the altar; The eucharist and human life. Index of subjects and authors; Index of passages of scripture referred to.
- Newman, R. Brinsley.** The Belle Islers: a novel; il. by Wallace Goldsmith. Bost., Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co., [1908.] c. 5-423 p. D. cl., *\$1.50.
The humorous account of life in a country town as experienced by the family of a minister of simple-hearted honesty, which quality is fully taken advantage of by his townspeople. One of the supposed family writes the story, and is really a prominent clergyman who withholds his name. The deep underlying purpose of the author is by ridicule to teach mean human nature a lesson and shame it into better fashions.
- North, Arthur Walbridge.** The mother of California: being an historical sketch of the little known land of Baja California, from the days of Cortez to the present time, depicting the ancient missions therein established, the mines there found, and the physical, social and political aspects of the country; together with an extensive bibliography relative to the same; with an introd. by Cyrus C. Adams. N. Y., Paul Elder & Co., [1908.] c. 11+169 p. pls. map, O. cl., **\$2 net.
- Ober, F. Albion.** With Osceola in Florida: being the adventures of two boys in the Seminole war in 1835; with six page il. by J. Watson Davis. N. Y., A. L. Burt Co., [1908.] c. 282 p. 12°, cl., *\$1.
- Oliver, T.; M.D.** Diseases of occupation. N. Y., Dutton, 1908. 10+127 p. 8°, (New lib. of medicine.) cl., *\$2.50 net.
- Orczy, Emma Magdalena Rosalia Maria Josefa Barbara, Baroness, [Mrs. Montague Barstow.]** In Mary's reign. N. Y., Cupples & Leon Co., [1908.] c. '07. 5-320 p. il. D. cl., 75 c.
The author of "The scarlet pimpernel" tells the story of the efforts of English statesmen to marry Queen Mary, daughter of Henry VIII., a bigoted, homely woman, either to the Duke of Wessex or to Philip II., King of Spain. The real heroine is a romantic, beautiful girl, lady-in-waiting to the Queen, who has been, when almost a child, betrothed to the Duke. She has a double, a gypsy fortune teller, who adds to the story's entanglement and defers its happy ending.
- Page, Ja. Madison, and Haley, M. J.** The true story of Andersonville prison: a defense of Major Henry Wirz; with por-

traits. Wash., D. C., Neale Publishing Co., 1908. c. 248 p. O. cl., \$2.

Mr. Page served through the Civil War, being at its conclusion 2d Lieut. Company A, Sixth Michigan Cavalry. He was a prisoner for seven months at Andersonville, where Captain Wirz was a subordinate under Captain Winder, who was the prison commander. He takes the stand that "Captain Wirz was unjustly held responsible for the hardships and mortality of Andersonville." His account of his experience as a prisoner differs greatly from that we have received from many other writers. The book ends with a life of Wirz, his trial and execution.

Page, T: Nelson. The Old Dominion: her making and her manners. N. Y., Scribner, 1908. c. 9+3-394 p. D. cl., **\$1.50 net.

Contents: The beginning of America; Jamestown, the birthplace of the American people, Colonial life; The revolutionary movement; Thomas Jefferson and the University of Virginia; The Southern people during reconstruction; The Old Dominion since the war; An old neighborhood in Virginia; An old Virginia Sunday.

Park, Jos. C. Educational woodworking for home and school. N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. c. 13+310 p. il. 12°, cl., *\$1 net.

Author is instructor in the State Normal and Training School of Oswego, N. Y.

Parrish, Randall. Prisoners of chance: the story of what befell Geoffrey Benteen, borderman, through his love for a lady of France; il. in full color by the Kinneys. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1908. c. 5-423 p. O. cl., \$1.50.

The action of the story commences in 1768, when the French made easy conquest of Louisiana from the Spaniards, and moves from New Orleans up the Mississippi into a mountain fastness in Arkansas, at that period inhabited by a strange people, the remnant of a prehistoric race once powerful, but now known only through the most fragmentary records. The surprising tale of marvelous exploits is told in Geoffrey Benteen's own language, illuminated by the author's interpretation. By the author of "My lady of the north," etc.

Paternoster, G: Sidney. The master criminal; il. by C: Johnson Post. N. Y., Cupples & Leon Co., [1908.] c. '07. 313 p. D. cl., 75 c.

A London flat of the present day, with its inmates, is the central point of interest. Here in great luxury live the "master criminal," an intellectual scoundrel, who preys upon society, trying through a plausible philosophy to make himself believe he is not a common thief; and a young man and young woman who pass for his son and daughter. He has trained both in his dishonest ways, Guy, the young man, making as the first step in the "profession" the daring theft of a valuable Greuze. Guy is only saved from utter moral ruin by the discovery that he has been stolen from his real parents. There is clever detective work and a love interest. By the author of "The motor pirate," etc.

Paul, Rev. H. A. C. The immorality and foolishness of prohibition; or, prohibition investigated from a religious, political and sanitary standpoint. Tacoma, Wash., H. A. C. Paul, [1908.] c. 36 p. O. pap., 20 c.

Author is a Lutheran minister.

Pendleton, L: Beaugard. Alexander H. Stephens. Phil., George W. Jacobs & Co., [1908.] c. '07. 406 p. por. D. (American crisis biographies; ed. by Ellis Paxson Oberholtzer.) cl., **\$1.25 net.

"A life of Alexander H. Stephens suited to the needs of the modern reader is desirable," says the author, "not only because of the peculiar personality of one of the ablest of the Southern statesmen of the old régime, and because of his association with great events as Vice-President of the Southern Confeder-

acy, but because he was one of the most consistent figures in the long struggle between the champions of State sovereignty and the supporters of Federal supremacy." Bibliography (4 p.). Index.

Petre, M. D: Catholicism and independence: being studies in spiritual liberty. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1908. 11+174 p. 12°, cl., \$1.20.

Phillips, Mary E. Laureled leaders for little folk; with introd. by E: Everett Hale, D.D.; il. and decorated by the author. Bost., Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co., 1908. c. no paging, il. pors. O. cl., \$2, boxed.

Similar in plan to the author's previous work, "Laurel leaves for little folks." It is entirely devoted to three notable authors, treated from the point of view of their associations with children, the contents being: "Dr. Edward Everett Hale's letter to the little folk;" "The boyhood of Thomas Wentworth Higginson;" "The children's Longfellow," and contains a wealth of authentic material for illustration supplied by the families of the distinguished subjects and never before so collected. Illustrated and decorated by the author.

Phythian, J: Ernest. Fifty years of modern painting. N. Y., Dutton, 1908. 9+391 p. il. col. pls. 8°, cl., *\$3.50 net.

Pierson, Arthur Tappan. The Bible and spiritual life. N. Y., Gospel Publishing House, [1908.] c. 483 p. tabs., diagrs., 8°, cl., \$1.50.

Pitman, Benn. and Howard, Jerome B. Legal forms: in the amanuensis style of phonography. Cin., Phonographic Institute Co., 1908. c. 51+8 p. S. (American system of shorthand.) pap. (Address pubs. for price.)

Qui êtes-vous?, [Who are you?] Annuaire des contemporains, 1908. N. Y., [Lemcke & Buechner,] 1908. 496 p. 12°, leath., *\$2 net.

Designed on the English original "Who's who?" Only 5000 names are as yet included, which makes possible a paragraphing of the information under each entry—a great convenience for the eyes. Only French celebrities are as yet included.

Ramsay, Sir Ja. H: The dawn of the constitution; or, the reigns of Henry III. and Edward I., (A.D. 1216-1307.) N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. 32+591 p. il. maps, 8°, cl., *\$2.75 net.

The first two volumes in this series, "The foundation of England, or twelve centuries of British history," published in 1898, covered the period from the Roman occupation down to A.D. 1154. The third volume, published in 1903, "The Angevin empire: the three reigns of Henry II., Richard I., and John," covered the period from 1154 to 1216. In this fourth volume, the historian extends the period of the work to 1307, and continues a verified and consecutive narrative.

Ray, Anna Chapin. By the good Sainte Anne: a story of modern Quebec. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., [1908.] c. '04, '05. 286 p. front. D. (Popular eds. of recent fiction.) cl., 75 c.

Reese, Albert M. The development of the American alligator: (*A. mississippiensis*;) with 23 plates. Wash., D. C., Smithsonian Institution, 1908. 3-66+23 p. O. (Smithsonian miscellaneous collections.) pap., 50 c.

Author is professor of zoölogy, West Virginia University. The present paper gives a general outline of the whole process of development of the American alligator, it being the intention of the author to take up in detail the more specific points in subsequent researches.

Reid, Captain Mayne. The ocean waifs. N. Y., Dutton, 1908. 8+328 p. 12°, cl., †\$1.

Ricker, Nathan Clifford. A study of roof trusses. Urbana, Ill., University of Illinois, [1908.] 27 p. diagrs., 8°, (University of Illinois, Engineering experiment station, bulletin.) pap., gratis.

Robinson, Rev. Forbes. Letters to his friends; ed. with an introductory notice by his brother Charles. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1907, [1908.] 202 p. pors. D. cl., *\$1 net.

The collection of letters and the introductory sketch by Charles Robinson give together all the biographical details known of the young English clergyman noted for his piety and religious fervor. He died in 1904, in his thirty-seventh year. He was an author and careful student of the Bible; late fellow of Christ's College, Cambridge, and examining chaplain to the Bishop of Southwell, England.

Robinson, Ja. Harvey, and Beard, C: Austin. The development of modern Europe: an introduction to the study of current history. Bost., Ginn, [1908.] c. '07. 2 v., 11+362; 7+448 p. il. pors. pls. maps, D. cl., v. 1, \$1.50; v. 2, \$1.60.

Both authors are professors in Columbia University, the first of history, the second being adjunct professor of politics. These volumes are intended to meet the demand for a history of recent times which shall explain the social and economic as well as the political development of our own age, and shall also prepare the student to understand the great problems of the world. Their aim is to correct the general disregard of recent history—to enable the reader to catch up with his own times so that he may peruse with intelligence the news given in the morning paper. The more fundamental economic matters—the industrial revolution, commerce and the colonies, the internal reforms of the European states, etc., have been generously treated.

Rodman, W: L., M.D. Diseases of the breast, with special reference to cancer; with 69 pls., of which 12 are printed in colors and 42 other illustrations. Phil., P. Blakiston's Son & Co., 1908. c. 11+385 p. 8°, cl., *\$4 net.

Ruutz-Rees, Janet E. Reflections on the Psalms. N. Y., Newson & Co., 1908. 43 p. 16°, cl., 50 c.

Schaefer, F. W. Diana's diary: flashes of wit; il. with many comic drawings by the brilliant artist A. D. Condo. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1908.] c. 182 p. D. bds., 50 c.; pap., 25 c.

The confessions of Miss Diana Dillpickle, revealing her many and varied experiences at Taffeta & Balbriggan's and with Sir Chauncey, the Baronet; with Marblebrow, the matinee idol; with Swinburn Potts, the poet, and with Prof. Strongarm, the physical culturist, together with inside facts pertaining to Diana's secret life of uplift at Glamor Grange.

Schaefer, F. W. Osgar und Adolf; or, comic vaudeville stunts: confessions of two famous jokers; also, "Rollo and his father," and other side-splitting sketches; il. with 60 inimitable humorous drawings by the famous cartoonist, Carl Hurlbut. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1908.] c. 160 p. D. bds., 50 c.; pap., 25 c.

Funny discussions in dialect by two Teutonic merry-makers on all questions of the day, from airships to football, and from trusts to microbes.

Schofield, Alfred Taylor, M.D. Christian sanity; with a preface by Dr. Handley Moule, [Bishop of Durham.] N. Y., A. C.

Armstrong & Son, 1908. 15+165 p. D. cl., *\$1 net.

The author is a Christian physician who has for years been exclusively engaged in helping nerve sufferers, including large numbers of Christian people who have lost their health through religious excesses of various kinds; or, through some morbid forms of religious exercises. He is in full sympathy with all forms of religious life and regards the Bible as the final court of appeal. He gives special study to sanity, or rational balance of mind in revivals, conventions and missions; and sums up his dissertations from a medical standpoint.

Schultz, F: Walter. Solder, its production and application; with a brief history of tin and lead. [Balt., Md., Frederick W. Schultz, 1908.] c. 120 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

Sloan, Patrick Ja. The Sunday-school teachers' guide to success. N. Y., Benziger Bros., 1908. c. 15+187 p. 12°, cl., 75 c. Bibliography (5 p.).

Smyth, Newman, D.D. Passing Protestantism and coming Catholicism. N. Y., Scribner, 1908. c. 209 p. D. cl., **\$1 net.

Author is pastor of the First Congregational Church, New Haven, Ct. He suggests that Protestantism is gradually ceasing to be regarded as a final and permanent condition of religious thought. He shows the same condition in the Roman church is met by the growth of "Modernism," a movement of which he gives a detailed account. He believes the difficulties of a union of the two Christian bodies into one united Christian church are not insurmountable, and he confidently expects there will be one "United Christian Catholic Church."

Snedden, D: S., and Allen, W: Harvey. School reports and school efficiency; for the New York Committee on Physical Welfare of School Children. N. Y., Macmillan, 1908. c. 11+183 p. tabs., O. cl., *\$1.50 net.

Statistical information on public schools has grown until it is the despair of the student. The authors have examined the reports of upwards of 100 American cities with a view to finding methods of presenting facts of educational policy which would actually serve school administration. They aim to show how a board of education can devise a report which will become a source, both of publicity in the best sense and also a means of improving the quality and economizing the means of education. Dwells upon what the public should demand of boards in order to know whether the school system which their taxes support is such as a modern community has a right to demand.

Sophocles. The tragedies of Sophocles; tr. with a biographical essay by E. H. Plumptre. N. Y., Dutton, 1908. 70+321 p. 12°, (New universal lib.) cl., 50 c.; leath., 75 c.

Spivey, T: Sawyer. The Hoosier widow; il. by Glen Tracy. Wash., D. C., Neale Publishing Co., 1908. c. 294 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

New York with its fashionable society and luxurious country residences is the scene. A fastidious bachelor marries and finds his wife unwilling to break old associations. He demands obedience and the wife returns to her mother. He is a lawyer and among his clients comes the Hoosier widow to settle property rights. She is all a woman should be, and after some troubles she comforts the deserted husband.

Standard domestic science cook book: about 1300 valuable recipes; 28 special departments, including table d' hôte dinners, 50 menus for the year, Christmas, Easter, weddings, anniversaries, etc. Chic., Laird & Lee, 1908. c. 300 p. 12°, flex. keratol, thumb index, \$1.75; without thumb index, \$1.25.

Stebbins, C: Maurice. A progressive course in English; literature, composition. Bost.,

- Sibley & Co., [1908.] c. 5+278 p. D. cl., 60 c.
- Prof. Stebbins is connected with the Boys' High School, Brooklyn, N. Y. Aims to bring into close natural relations elementary work in literature and composition.
- Stratemeyer, E.**, ["Captain Ralph Bonehill;" "Arthur M. Winfield," *pseud.*] Dave Porter in the far North; or, the pluck of an American school boy; il. by C. Nuttall. Bost., Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co., [1908.] c. 7+285 p. D. (Dave Porter ser.) cl., \$1.25.
- In this book Dave is still at his well-liked boarding-school, Oak Hall, with his lively but manly comrades, who rejoice with him that he not only has discovered his parentage, but has a father and sister living, though unaware of his existence. Dave cannot rest until he finds those of his own family, and having secured leave of absence from school and accompanied by his chum, the son of a United States Senator, he goes to England only to find that his father has left on an expedition to the upper part of Norway, where he follows him.
- Stubbins, T. Alva.** The patriot. Chic., M. A. Donohue & Co., 1908. c. 17-287 p. pls. 12°, cl., \$1.
- Tamayo y Baus, Don Manuel**, ["Don Joaquin Estébanez," *pseud.*] Lo positivo; ed., with introd., notes and vocabulary, by Philip Harry and Alfonso de Salvio. Bost., Heath, 1908. c. 7+124 p. S. (Heath's modern language ser.) cl., 45 c.
- Editors are instructors in romance languages, Northwestern University.
- Thomas, Harry H.** Gardening in town and suburb; with 10 il. from photographs, and diagrams in the text. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1907, [1908.] 8+176 p. pls. 12°, cl., \$1.
- Thompson, Effie Freeman.** Μετανοῶ and μεταυῆλει in Greek literature until 100 A.D., including discussion of their cognates and of their Hebrew equivalents. Chic., University of Chicago Press, 1908. c. 29 p. 4°. (University of Chicago, historical and linguistic studies in literature related to the New Testament, 2d ser.) pap., *25 c. net.
- Thruston, Mrs. Lucy Meacham.** Mistress Brent: a story of Lord Baltimore's colony in 1638; il. by C. Grunwald. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., [1908.] c. 'or. 352 p. D. (Popular eds. of recent fiction.) cl., \$1.75 c.
- Thwaites, Reuben Gold, and Kellogg, Louise Phelps, eds.** The revolution on the upper Ohio, 1775-1777; compiled from the Draper manuscripts in the library of the Wisconsin Historical Society and published at the charge of the Wisconsin Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. Madison, Wis., Wisconsin Historical Society, 1908. c. 20+275 p. pors. fold, map, D. (Draper ser., v. 2.) cl., \$1.50.
- This is the first of two projected volumes, to be devoted to the conduct of the Revolution in this wide region. The documents exhibit the frontiersmen's plan of defense against the Indians; it is shown, also, that while garrisoning their log forts and conducting their government, they at the same time promoted Western settlement. The Treaty of Pittsburgh (1775) and other Indian negotiations are reported at length; and the relations of American borderers are shown with the British posts of Detroit, Niagara and the Illinois.

Two family and twin houses. N. Y., William T. Comstock, 1908. il. plans, 8°, bds., \$2.

Van Broekhoven, J. The true method of tone production: a new and complete course of voice training. N. Y., H. W. Gray Co., [1908.] c. 122 p. il. 4°, cl., \$1.50.

Wakeman, W. H. Air valves for steam heating systems: how used, why used, where used. Chic., Domestic Engineering, 1908. c. '07. 39 p. il. 12°, cl., 25 c.

Watts, Mary S. The tenants: an episode of the '80's. N. Y., McClure Co., 1908. c. 313 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

In the beautiful Middle West stood an old house that had belonged to Governor Gwynne. He died in the early '80's and his heirs, 20 of them, decide to let the house. A Southern family moved in, and owing to their social fascinations they lived for three years, buying everything, entertaining everyone with fairs, balls, private theatricals, picnics—and paying nothing. A young girl tells the story and makes the life of the '80's, the customs, manners, dress, and amusements very real to those who remember a generation back. An old doctor, his mysterious servant, and the whole Gwynne family are alive in the story.

Wheelock, Elizabeth Marian. Stories of Wagner operas told for children. Indianapolis, Ind., Bobbs-Merrill Co., [1908.] c. '07. 3-208 p. front. O. cl., \$1.25.

Gives the stories of the greater Wagner operas in a form to attract and interest children. Includes: The master singers of Nuremberg; The flying Dutchman; Lohengrin; The Rhinegold; The Walkyries; Siegfried, and The dusk of the gods.

Whinery, S. Specifications for street roadway pavements. N. Y., Engineering News Publishing Co., 1907, [1908.] c. 56 p. 8°, pap., *50 c. net.

Who's who on the stage, 1908: the dramatic reference book and biographical dictionary of the theatre; containing careers of actors, actresses, managers and playwrights of the American stage; ed. by Walter Browne and E. DeRoy Koch. N. Y., B. W. Dodge & Co., 1908. c. 467 p. pors. O. cl., \$3.50 net.

First published last year, *sec notice*, "Weekly Record," P. W., January 12, 1907, [1824.] The second editor has now been changed and the book is published by B. W. Dodge & Co. instead of by the editors.

Wilson, Patten. Nature round the house: [animals;] with il. by the author. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1907, [1908.] 243 p. 12°, cl., \$1.

York, Wealthy Ann, (*pseud.*) Some adventures of two vagabonds, by One of 'em. N. Y., Broadway Publishing Co., [1908.] c. 173 p. D. cl., \$1.

Contents: A point of etiquette; The coming of Hannah Jane; The unknown sailor's chief mourner; The mystery of the red house; The waking of the salt marsh and the blooming of the dunes; An'rew T. and how he met the great man; Cap'n Ame'sy's business proposition; Carmelita's Mary Magdalen; Le P'tit Angelo; Accepted with a number one.

Zimmern, Alice. Gods and heroes of the north. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1908. 10+142 p. il. D. cl., *60 c. net.

Stories of the gods whom the ancestry of the English worshipped. Divided into two parts, "Stories of the gods" and "Stories of the heroes," which includes "The story of Sigmund," "The story of Sigurd," "The story of Helge" and "The story of Beowulf." Notes.

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FALLACIES OF A CRITIC OF THE PUBLISHING TRADE.

Munsey's Magazine for April contains an article with the sensational heading "What Has Happened to the American Book Publishers?," by Merton H. Forrester, that calls for notice simply because it is largely made up of things that are "not so."

The writer of the article starts off with the statement that whereas, from 1895 to 1900, the American publisher fairly revelled in the "golden harvest" derived from the enormous sales of books during that period, when "publishers came to look with scorn upon books that sold but moderately," since that time "there has been not merely a decline in the business, but an actual 'slump'." Unless we have been deceived by all reports the case is quite the contrary. Indeed, not in a quarter of a century has there been greater activity and more prosperity in the book business than in the past seven years, including 1907, when the financial depression affected almost every business excepting the booktrade; and as for the immediate future a glance at the books announced in our Spring Announcement number must convince even the most sceptical that the publishing trade is full of hope and activity.

Mr. Forrester next attacks the publisher for his "lack of enterprise and his failure to adjust the management of his business to the conditions of the time in which he lives." It would be hopeless, we suppose, to attempt to convince this writer of his error in this respect. We have always been under the impression that every publisher worthy of the name was untiring in his activity to watch for and lay hold upon any and every new idea and invention of genius to build up and de-

velop his business. Circumstances oblige him to be always alert and in advance of his constituency in every direction if he would hold his own against his competitors. While at times a publisher may indulge himself in the luxury of presenting to the public a book which he believes is a good one, and of taking the risk of its becoming an unprofitable investment from a business point of view, he would be blind to his own interests if he persisted in such a course and overlooked the fact that he must conduct his business to conform "to the conditions of the time in which he lives." The stability of the publishing trade as a whole is a living witness to the fact that its members are not remiss in this respect.

Further on in his article Mr. Forrester thinks that he has discovered where "the fault lies" which has caused his imaginary "slump" in the publishing business. It is simply that "the publisher, even when he does secure a book of merit, handicaps its sale by offering it at the prices established years and years ago." It would not satisfy Mr. Forrester, we suppose, to assert that never were more solid books, better and more attractively made, offered at such reasonable prices as at the present time. Good books by contemporary writers of reputation were always dear, and will always be dear. Yet ever were publishers keen and enterprising enough—from Bohn's day to the present, and never more so than in this year of Anno Domini, to place within the reach of the most impecunious reader the best of the world's literature, in editions that fifty years ago would have been regarded as the very *ne plus ultra* of book-making.

Good books, that is, the product of modern scholarship and research, will always be dear because the demand for them is bound to be small. As the *New York Evening Post* this week pointed out:

"A man who will invest \$10,000 in an automobile and spend \$3000 a year in running it, would be horrified by the extravagance of an annual outlay of \$500 for books. This is one reason why the price of such an important work as, say, Cromer's 'Modern Egypt' is \$6. That book will sell well, but not well enough to be put on the market at a narrow margin above the cost of manufacture. . . . A father whose income is less than \$10,000 a year expects to spend from \$800 to \$1000 a year on the schooling of a son or daughter; yet few fathers, even of ampler means, deliberately provide their children with one of the cheapest and most effective instruments of education—plenty of the best books. What purchases are made are too often only the novels

bought to read on the train or the latest widely advertised sensation. The average private 'library' in this city is a pathetic collection of odds and ends, picked up without forethought or even intelligence. The kitchen is far more systematically and thoroughly furnished; and the mistress of the house would be aghast at the idea of setting her dinner-table with a similar array of coarse, incongruous, broken, and ugly dishes. But without a blush or a word of apology people of wealth and presumably of some cultivation fill their pitifully few shelves with books that are a disgrace to their owners. This shortcoming is the less excusable because in these days of well-made reprints a very few hundred dollars will enable even a poor man to procure a library of the best histories, essays, letters, travels, poetry, and novels—books that are thoroughly interesting and worth reading."

Cheap books are desirable; so are fine houses in select neighborhoods at the rentals charged in more modest neighborhoods, and so are many other good things desirable. The publishing trade, unlike many other trades, endeavors to provide for all sorts and conditions of men; it is only a question of time when the publisher can afford to satisfy the needs of the reader who cannot afford to be in the game at the attack. But we are afraid that under present circumstances no publisher, even one "full of new ideas, with a keen sense of what the public wants, and with an impatience for outworn traditions," will hardly think of entering the field of providing even fiction—for that is what Mr. Forrester seems to have in mind—to however large a constituency, for fifty cents if it costs him that much and more to manufacture and to market each book. Human nature is not built upon those lines.

The remainder of Mr. Forrester's arraignment of the publishing trade we must leave to its fate unnoticed.

THE AMERICAN BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION will hold its eighth annual convention in New York City on May 19 and 20, at the Hotel Victoria, and we trust that as many members of the Association as can make it possible will attend, and help to make the sessions interesting and profitable. The Dinner Committee may be relied upon to make the entertainment of the guests enjoyable; but the real interest in the convention should centre about the discussion of the questions that vitally affect the bookseller in his relation to the publisher and to his constituency, to the consideration of which matters we trust the proper committees have given their best attention during the past year.

A NEW EDUCATIONAL BUILDING IN CHICAGO

ON the triangular plaza in Chicago, formed by the intersection of Prairie and Cottage Avenues and Twenty-third Street, stands one of the largest and most elaborate buildings devoted exclusively to the sale of school books. It has recently been erected by Ginn & Company, of Boston, to meet the growing demands of their business, and provides every facility for storing and distributing their vast stock of books, in addition to many appliances for comfort and convenience in office life. The structure consists of four stories and a basement, and ample light and air are assured by a frontage of 135 feet on Prairie Avenue and a length of 100 feet on Twenty-third Street. Entering through a vestibule finished in white marble, with vaulted ceiling and pilasters, the visitor takes a passenger elevator to the fourth floor, the best-lighted and best-ventilated part of the building, where the counting house, correspondence department, circular department, and offices are situated. In the centre of this floor is a wide reception room supplied with well-filled book cases, easy chairs, a writing table, and other conveniences for visitors. A feature of special interest here is a series of glass cases containing samples of work illustrating the various processes in the manufacture of a book, beginning with the manuscript and ending with the finished product.

To the right of the reception room is the desk of the reception clerk and the department of common-school correspondence. To the left and extending around the elevator shaft to the front of the building is the counting house. Immediately opposite the elevator shaft are the offices of the different departments. The management is in charge of Mr. Hilton, the resident partner; O. J. Laylander, who formerly represented Ginn & Company in Iowa and now has the direction of the common-school agency work and state campaigns; and D. W. Hall, who is in charge of the firm's high school and college interests. Mr. Hilton's suite of offices occupies the northeast corner of the floor, the department of high school correspondence is on the northwest, the department of music occupies a large room on the southeast corner, and the eastern side is occupied by the department of common-school correspondence. In the southwestern part of the building there is a large room, with desks and lockers, for the accommodation of the agents who represent the firm in the central and western States. There are also several dressing rooms and a coat room with lockers. The circular department occupies a large room opening on one side upon a circular stock room, and on the other upon a room containing multigraphs and an addressograph machine.

A stairway leads from this floor to the one below, in which there is a kitchen and dining room, with complete appointments for serving luncheons to the entire staff. On this same floor is the women's rest room, fifty feet by thirty, well lighted and comfortably furnished. The rest of the third

floor and the first and second as well are used for the storage of stock and for shipping.

Ginn & Company have spared no expense in providing for the comfort of their employees, and have aimed to combine with the intense activity of business life the restfulness of the home and the comradeship of the club.

COUNTERVAILING DUTY ACCRUES ON PRINTING PAPER.

SEVERAL dealers in printing paper were defeated on March 31 before the Board of United States General Appraisers, at New York City, in an attempt to evade the imposition of a countervailing duty on printing paper imported from Canada.

The paper was assessed for duty at the specific rates provided for under paragraph 396 of the Dingley tariff, while, in addition, the American Government demanded an additional, or countervailing, duty, under the plea that the Canadian Government imposes an export duty on pulp wood exported from the Dominion. Judge Somerville, who wrote the decision for the board, holds that the United States has a right to collect an additional, or countervailing, duty of one-tenth of 1 cent. per pound for each dollar of export duty per cord imposed by the Canadian authorities.

BEST-SELLING FICTION IN FEBRUARY.

ACCORDING to *The Bookman*, the six most popular novels in order of demand as sold between February 1 and March 1 were the following:

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COPYRIGHT NOTES.

AGREEMENT ON "CANNED MUSIC."

THE controversy over the failure of the "canned music" dealers to pay royalties to authors and composers for works used in phonographs, piano players and other like instruments was brought to an end on March 30 by an agreement reached between representatives of the outstanding interest. The agreement was submitted to the Joint Committees on Patents. The agreement proposes to provide for a flat royalty system, and the copyright laws to all mechanical machines reproducing either pictures, songs or plays. Under the bill to be reported "copyright protection shall be extended to include all mechanical reproductions or representations of any sort by which copyrighted work may be expressed, provided that such right of mechanical reproduction of a musical composition so copyrighted shall be open to

everybody on payment to a composer of a royalty of two cents for each and every perforated roll or other reproducing device." It further provides that such royalty shall be paid through the medium of copyright stamps, to be purchased at the copyright office. It was also unanimously agreed that full protection should be given to dramatic works and appropriate legislation on that subject was requested. The agreement does not meet with the approval of the publishers of books and others interested in copyright protection to authors.

BOOKTRADE ASSOCIATIONS.

BOOKSELLERS' LEAGUE APRIL DINNER.

THE BOOKSELLERS' LEAGUE will give its next regular monthly dinner at the Aldine Association on the evening of April 8. The entertainment promises to be unusually interesting, Raymond L. Ditmars, the curator of the department of reptiles and author of "The Reptile Book," etc., Allen Samuel Williams, the well-known naturalist, and Captain Jack Bonita, the lion tamer, having kindly offered to discuss wild animals, their training, etc. Mr. Williams has some surprising pictures of wild animals which he will introduce to the League through the stereopticon. Members who wish to attend the dinner must notify Charles A. Burkhardt, 31 West Twenty-third Street, before April 6, or no provision can be made for them at the table.

The dinner of the League next month will be given in connection with the American Booksellers' Association at the Aldine on May 20.

ANNUAL DINNER OF THE AMERICAN BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION.

THE Dinner Committee of the American Booksellers' Association, made up of members of the Association and representatives of The Booksellers' League, The Booksellers of New York, The Brotherhood of Commercial Travellers and of the book and stationery trades journals, met on March 31 at the rooms of the American Booksellers' Association, 27 East Twenty-second Street, New York City.

In the absence of Harry F. Davis, the secretary of the American Booksellers' Association, the meeting was called to order by Simon Brentano, who was chosen temporary chairman. The organization of the Dinner Committee was completed by the election of Charles A. Burkhardt as chairman, E. Byrne Hackett as secretary and Charles L. Bowman as treasurer, and the appointment of the following committees:

Committee on Arrangements: Harry F. Davis, Charles E. Butler, Arthur P. Jackson.
Committee on Printing: Samuel Graydon, W. G. Preston, T. E. Schulte.

Committee on Tickets: F. D. Lacy, Henry Malkan, A. Wessels.

Committee on Souvenirs: E. Byrne Hackett, R. E. Sherwood, W. E. Smith.

Publicity Committee: A. Growoll, B. H. Allbee, Henry J. Berger, E. O. Chapman, W. E. Price, C. C. Walden.

Reception Committee: Charles L. Bowman, Simon Brentano, Walter L. Butler, W. P.

Christopher, C. W. Haller, E. T. Hanford, John Hovendon, Arthur Leon, E. S. Gorham, Charles E. Miller, George E. Newcombe, T. Pillot, A. F. Roche, F. P. Seymour.

It was decided to give the dinner at the rooms of the Aldine Association, 111 Fifth Avenue, New York City, on the evening of May 20, at 6.30 P.M. The price of tickets is to be \$2.50.

A motion was made to invite the Stationers' Association of New York, of which Theodore L. C. Gerry is president, to join the American Booksellers' Association at this dinner.

COMMUNICATIONS.

THE GRAMERCY PUBLISHING CO.

THE GRAMERCY PUBLISHING CO.
Publishers, Manufacturers, Importers
30 & 32 East 20th Street

NEW YORK, March 5th, 1908.

To the Editor of *The Publishers' Weekly*.

SIR: It is always a difficult thing to overtake a lie, and I presume that it will be somewhat difficult to overtake the lie which you have published [reprinted] in your issue of February 29, 1908, on page 972 regarding this corporation.

In the first place, The Gramercy Publishing Company is not at 25 Fourth Avenue, New York. We used to be at 225 Fourth Avenue. In the second place, we never did any business in Lynn, Mass., on the instalment plan or any other plan, nor are we suing anybody there.

As a matter of fact, we are the publishers of Benson J. Lossing's history of the United States, entitled "Our Country," in eight volumes, a reputable and standard history, as everybody knows who knows anything about books.

Your attempt to be facetious in your statement that we sell this book in eight volumes, including a lot, for \$39, payable \$3 now and \$3 every week t. f., (till forbid,) is noted.

It seems to the undersigned that it would be a reasonable proposition to expect a reputable publication to at least take the trouble to inquire if what they read in some other publication is true before publishing such slanders about a firm doing a legitimate business.

We hope you will give this the same space in your periodical that you have given the article referred to herewith.

Yours truly,

THE GRAMERCY PUBLISHING COMPANY,
HENRY W. KNIGHT, President.

In tracing this matter to its source we find that our contemporary quoted from an account in *The Daily Evening Item*, of Lynn, Mass., for January 7, 1908, which is given in full below.—[Ed. P. W.]

SUITS AGAINST LYNN PEOPLE.

GRAMERCY PUBLISHING COMPANY BEGINS ACTION TO ENFORCE CONTRACTS.

SIGNATURES DENIED IN EACH INSTANCE.

Sets of Books with Lot of Land Sold on Monthly Instalment Plan.

Gramercy Publishing Company, a New York corporation, whose agents have been operating in Lynn for several months with a proposition for the sale of

a publication known as "Our Country," and lots of land in combination, is now suing a number of its customers, who, it is alleged, have not made the payments which they promised in agreements, copies of which are on file in Lynn Police Court.

Mary A. Sullivan and Catherine T. O'Neil, 553 Boston Street; John H. Cryan, 46 Sargent's Court; Joseph S. Butman, 84 Federal Street; Robert H. Hughes, 4 Ernest Street Cliftondale, and William Sullivan, 41 Mall Street, and John T. Cunningham, are named as the defendants. It is claimed by the plaintiffs that Mary A. Sullivan contracted to pay them \$39 at the rate of \$3 per month, and that she still owes \$21; that John H. Cryan owes \$30; that John T. Cunningham is their debtor for \$30.09; that Catherine T. O'Neil owes \$21; that Joseph S. Butman owes \$45; that Robert H. Hughes owes \$35, and that William Sullivan owes \$50.

Gramercy Publishing Co. claims to be publishers, manufacturers and importers, with offices at 225 Fourth Avenue, New York. The concern, according to its pamphlet, has for reference the New Amsterdam National Bank of New York. In its contract with Mary A. Sullivan, John H. Cryan, Catherine T. O'Neil and William Sullivan, it agrees to give in exchange for the payment of \$39 a set of books and tracts of lands, 20 x 100, in Medford Park, town of Brookhaven, Suffolk County, N. Y. With Joseph S. Butman and Robert H. Hughes, the plaintiffs claim to have entered into an agreement under which the defendants were to pay \$74, at the rate of \$5 per month, for the set of books and two lots of land in Medford Park.

Sisk Brothers have been retained as counsel by John T. Cunningham, Catherine T. O'Neil, Joseph S. Butman and Robert H. Hughes, and the signature of the defendant is denied in each instance. The several suits have been filed by E. E. Wakefield of Boston, attorney for plaintiffs.

To this The Gramercy Publishing Company makes the following reply:

NEW YORK, March 27, 1908.

To the Editor of *The Publishers' Weekly*.

DEAR SIR: Since writing you first about this matter, we also have been investigating, and the result of our investigations developed the following facts:

We have a general agent in Boston, by the name of John D. Pearson, who has been buying from us at wholesale Lossing's "Our Country," and also the lots which we are selling in connection with the book. We find that Mr. Pearson *did* canvass the town of Lynn, Mass., through his agents, and we also find that without our knowledge he used the name of The Gramercy Publishing Company. So much then for this phase of the question.

Now, we presume that you intend to be fair, nor would you intentionally misrepresent or injure anybody engaged in a legitimate business. Now, having said this much, we would state further that if you had published the article which you quote, from the *Daily Evening Item*, of Lynn, Mass., we would not make any particular objection, and if you will read this article carefully you will see that the defendants in the case are simply trying to get out of a business transaction, or, in other words, to back out of a contract. All of these subscribers, according to this statement from the *Daily Evening Item*, seem to have paid various sums on their instalments, which can be readily seen if you will take the trouble to examine them carefully. Therefore, the defense which they put in, and which by the way we have nothing to do with except that we are interested in Mr. Pearson, is all wrong, where they deny their signatures.

What we particularly object to in the article to which we first called your attention

is the slurring manner in which you refer to this business. For instance, I quote from your article the following:

"With each sale there was thrown in a lot of land somewhere up State. Some who purchased the books 'Our Country,' whatever that is, have tried to slip off the noose."

You then go on to say:

"The price is \$39, payable \$3 down and \$3 every week t. f."

It is these slurring and equivocal remarks in your article to which we enter our protest and objection. It is a straight business transaction.

We sell a man a set of "Our Country," in eight volumes, bound in half morocco, well printed, well bound, and give a man a deed to a lot 20 x 100. The lot is located in Medford, Long Island, 54 miles from New York City, and within one-half mile of the railway station. It is a perfectly legitimate, straightforward, businesslike and honorable transaction, and we object, and seriously object, to your manner of presenting this proposition to your readers and of making it appear that we are trying to take advantage of people, a thing which we are not doing. We therefore hope that you will see this matter as it should be seen and do the square thing.

Yours truly,

THE GRAMERCY PUBLISHING COMPANY,

HENRY W. KNIGHT, *President*.

The above statements explain themselves, and we trust that those interested will be satisfied that The Gramercy Publishing Company is acting in good faith—a fact which was not questioned in the paragraph quoted by us.—[Ed. P. W.]

OBITUARY NOTES.

DR. P. A. LINDAHL, president of the Augustana Book Concern, editor of the *Augustana*, a Swedish publication, and for years a director of the Augustana College, died in Rock Island, Ill., on March 27, aged sixty.

REV. DR. CHARLES N. SIMS, former chancellor of Syracuse [N. Y.] University, died on March 27, at his home in Liberty, Ind. Dr. Sims was born at Fairfield, Ind., on May 18, 1835. He graduated from Indiana Asbury, [now De Pauw,] University in 1859, and later became president of Valparaiso College, Ind. He was the author of "The Temperance Problem," "Life of the Rev. Thomas M. Eddy, D.D.," "Itinerary Time Limit," and an article on Henry Ward Beecher in Abbott's "Life of Beecher."

JOSEPH HOWARD, JR., journalist, lecturer and publicist, died on March 30, at his home in New York City. Mr. Howard was born in Brooklyn, June 3, 1833. In 1860 he became correspondent for the *New York Times*, for which he reported most of the important events that occurred during the next four years. He was connected with various newspapers from 1863 until 1886, when he retired

to devote himself to special literary works and to lecturing. He was the author of "The Life of Henry Ward Beecher," a "History of the Union League Club" and "History Makers of the Nineteenth Century."

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, of the firm of J. Q. Adams & Co., Boston, dealers in subscription books, died on March 25, aged seventy-two. Mr. Adams was the son of John Quincy Adams, and his grandfather, who had borne the same historic name, was a relative of John Adams and John Quincy Adams. He was captain of the Thirtieth United States colored troops. At the close of the war between the states Mr. Adams returned North and was for several years a manager of the subscription book department of Harper & Brothers. He formed more than a quarter of a century ago the firm in Boston of which he was the head.

WILLIS ARTHUR BARDWELL, assistant librarian in the Brooklyn Public Library, died on March 27 at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Bardwell was born in Williamstown, Mass., October 15, 1840, and when quite young went to Brooklyn, where he was employed in the book and stationery store kept by William W. Rose, at 162 Atlantic Avenue. In 1860 he went to the recently established Athenæum Reading Room, at the corner of Atlantic Avenue and Clinton Street; when this was consolidated with the old Mercantile Library on Montague Street Bardwell went with it and became its librarian in 1885. When the Mercantile Library was consolidated with the Brooklyn Library, Bardwell was advanced steadily until he succeeded Stephen B. Noyes as librarian. Five years ago he became assistant librarian of the Public Library system.

THE REV. DR. CHARLES CUTHBERT HALL, president of Union Theological Seminary, died on March 25 in New York City. Dr. Hall was born in New York City, on September 3, 1852, and was graduated from Williams College in 1872. He entered Union Theological Seminary in 1872, and went abroad two years later to attend lectures at the Presbyterian College in London and the Free College in Edinburgh. In 1875 he returned to New York and succeeded the Rev. Dr. Wendell Prime as pastor of the Union Presbyterian Church. After filling pulpits in Newburgh and Brooklyn, N. Y., Dr. Hall in 1897 succeeded Dr. Thomas S. Hastings as president of the Union Theological Seminary. In the days of the famous Briggs heresy trial, and, later, in the case of Professor Arthur C. McGiffert, Dr. Hall maintained a neutral attitude, or, at least, refused to be drawn into the controversies. Dr. Hall made two lecture tours in India for the University of Chicago, the first one being in 1902-03. He was also a regular lecturer at Vanderbilt and Harvard universities. He was the author of a number of works, including "Christian Belief Interpreted by Christian Experience," "Redeemed Life After Death," "Universal Elements of the Christian Religion," "Christ and the Human Race," and "The Witness of the Oriental Consciousness of Jesus Christ."

NOTES ON AUTHORS.

THE REV. SABINE BARING-GOULD has been engaged by the present Rajah of Sarawak to write his life, which leads the London *Book Monthly* to prophesy that before long American millionaires will be enjoying biographers as they do cooks and chauffeurs.

W. J. LOCKE, the author of "The Beloved Vagabond" and "The Morals of Marcus," has written a new novel which is to appear as a serial in *The American Magazine*. It is mentioned as a joyous story, and it is called "Simple Septimus." It will be brought out later, in book form, by the John Lane Company.

LOIE FULLER, the American dancer, known in Europe as "La Loie," has written an account of her experiences on the American and European stage, and is now making arrangements for its simultaneous publication in this country and England, and in Germany and France. It is said the book will contain many hitherto unpublished and striking revelations affecting personages conspicuous in the political, intellectual and artistic life of London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, St. Petersburg, Budapest and Constantinople, as well as New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and other leading American cities.

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

GUNTER'S MAGAZINE has been bought by Street & Smith, who will take over the publication with the number for May.

THE BIBLIOPHILE, a magazine and review for lovers of books, has just been published from Thanet House, Strand, London.

ERNEST A. FINK & Co., 343 East Eighty-fifth Street, New York City, have begun publishing a new monthly magazine—*Fink's Magazine*—devoted to elocution, physical training, amateur plays, and all things of value to a public interested in culture at home and abroad. The magazine will bring each month illustrated popular articles, stories, plays, entertainments, pantomimes, drills, marches, recitations, monologues, tableaux, etc.; also, a department entitled "Educators and Entertainers," in which the current news of the entertainment field and personal news of the elocutionary profession appear.

THE latest arrival in the arena of trade journals is *The Amputation Bulletin*, the press representative of the so-called "ambulance chasers," published in New York City. The subscription price will be fifty dollars a year, but this figure is, after all, trifling in comparison with the certain benefits accruing to its readers, which are set forth in the circulars of the journal as follows: "We cover the United States on amputation information, from which any good, live attorney can surely get twenty-five or fifty cases a year—each case with a value of \$5000 to \$25000—and, as these cases are taken on a basis of 50 per cent., the income an attorney can obtain from this information is far greater than the salary of the President of the United States."

THE jury in the case of E. L. Phillip against the McClure Company, publishers of *McClure's Magazine*, handed in a verdict on March 27 awarding the plaintiff \$15,000 damages. The suit was instituted to recover \$100,000 damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of statements made by Roy Stannard Baker in articles entitled "Railroads on Trial" which were published in the November and December, 1905, and January, 1906, issues of *McClure's Magazine*. The articles in question stated that the plaintiff, as president of the Union Refrigerator Transit Company of Wisconsin, accepted commissions and other returns in the nature of rebates. It was learned afterward, and corrected in the April, 1906, number of the magazine, that whatever commissions had been received were accepted by Mr. Phillip as vice-president of the Northern Refrigerator Transit Company of Milwaukee. There were other statements accusing the plaintiff of being a "lobbyist" and participating in "private graft." The action was settled a few days later and will be formally dismissed when called at the April term. The amount to be paid by the defendants was given as \$1500, as E. L. Phillips thinks the verdict for \$15,000 awarded to him vindicates him and the company.

BUSINESS NOTES.

ARDMORE, OKLA.—Mrs. Eugene Pike is starting a circulating library and newsstand, and would be pleased to receive catalogues and price lists from publishers and manufacturers.

BENNETTSVILLE, S. C.—The book store of Reid & Co. has been destroyed by fire.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—The Binghamton Book Manufacturing Company has been incorporated by J. F. McLaughlin, T. G. Avery and F. M. Hayes, all of Binghamton.

CLEVELAND, O.—Miss Alice Elizabeth Douglas, for many years a retail book saleswoman in this city, has opened a shop at No. 36, The Arcade.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—G. B. Beeson has purchased the interest of his partner in the Post-Office Bookstore and will hereafter conduct it under the firm name of The E. B. Beeson Stationery and Curio Company.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—The Southern School Supply Company has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$20,000.

NEW YORK CITY.—D. Appleton & Co. have removed to No. 35 West Thirty-second Street.

NEW YORK CITY.—The Associated Stationer's Company, organized about two years ago by the retail stationers of this city to operate as a co-operative buying concern, will go out of existence as soon as the legal steps to effect its dissolution can be taken. This action was taken up at a meeting of the stockholders of the organization, held on March 20. The company was promoted by A. T. Baxter, who, however, had to discontinue the work

and go to California because of ill health. It was proposed to start business with a capital stock of \$100,000. "The project," according to *Geyer's Stationer*, "was very enthusiastically received at first, but it was impossible to interest a sufficient number of stationers in the New York territory to ensure the capital desired and it was found necessary because of the law governing co-operation matters to reduce the capital stock to \$20,000. This action was taken by the stockholders at a meeting held November 12, 1907, a minority faction, however, strongly dissenting. Interest in the organization has waned materially since about that time and it was thought best by those most intimately connected with the project to wind up the affairs of the association."

NEW YORK CITY.—Duffield & Co. will remove on May 1 to the Ball Building, 36 West Thirty-seventh Street. The firm, on April 1, completed its fifth year in the publishing field, its first book, the old English morality play, "Everyman," having been brought out on April 1, 1903.

NEW YORK CITY.—Regarding the Consolidated Retail Booksellers we learn that there will be no dividend to creditors from this estate. Corporation taxes due the State of New Jersey amounting to \$1,762.14 were allowed as a preferred claim, which used up practically all of the assets in the hands of Merrill E. Gates, Jr., trustee. The Trustee received and distributed some \$3,610 and the small amount of about \$77, which he has on hand, will be used up in legal expenses. Mr. Gates has not as yet been discharged as trustee and the referee's clerk reports that he will be required to furnish some additional affidavits regarding the distribution of the proceeds of some accounts before he can be discharged.

NEW YORK CITY.—Henri Gerard, (Gerard's Literary Shop,) 83 Nassau Street, has bought the business and good will of the American and Foreign Magazine Depot, whose proprietor, James W. Christopher, died last November at Auburn Mills, Hanover Co., Va., to which place he removed in June, 1906, when the building in which he had conducted his business for upwards of twenty-five years was condemned to make room for the Hudson River Tunnel improvements. Mr. Gerard is prepared to supply all orders for Mr. Christopher's former friends and customers, including back numbers of periodicals, new and old books, directories, reports, pamphlets, etc.

NEW YORK CITY.—Henry Holt & Co. are removing to No. 35 West Thirty-second Street.

NEW YORK CITY.—B. W. Huebsch has removed to 225 Fifth Avenue.

NEW YORK CITY.—The Lamb Publishing Company, publishers of sets of standard works and of the classics, etc., are now located in the Brunswick Building, at 225 Fifth Avenue.

PORTLAND, ORE.—Davis & Kilburn have opened up a book and stationery store here.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Cunningham, Cur-tiss & Welsh are now settled on Market Street, near Second, in a fine new three-story building.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—John W. Newbe-gin, publisher and bookseller, has removed to 242 Market Street, near the ferry.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Sanborn, Vail & Co., have removed from their temporary quarters to a new building at 775 Mission Street.

PERSONAL NOTES.

THE ISAAC PITMAN publications are now represented on the road by P. C. Leadbeater in the East and Middle West, and by H. K. Fly on the Pacific Coast.

ARTHUR CALDWELL has started for the far West as representative of the lines brought out by The Lamb Publishing Company, of New York City, consisting of sets of standard works.

A. HAFNER, managing partner of the firm of G. E. Stechert & Co., will leave for Europe on April 22, for a stay of two months. He will visit the European branches of the firm, and will be present at the annual meeting of the European publishers and booksellers held in Leipzig in May.

POST CARD NOTES.

DECORATION DAY and Independence Day post cards are now being shown by a number of publishers.

E. P. DUTTON & Co. have brought out a series of "G. O. P." campaign post cards, with design by the clever cartoonist, H. Mayer.

THE POST CARD PUBLISHERS', MANUFACTURERS' AND IMPORTERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION met on March 24, when four new houses that had applied for membership were passed upon and admitted into the association. The majority of the members were present at the meeting and showed considerable interest in the proceedings. Seven more applications are now on hand for membership and will be considered at the next meeting. The association would be glad to secure a young man with some knowledge of association work to take up the duties of acting secretary.

THE report that Edward Stern & Company, 112 Twelfth Street, Philadelphia, are retiring from the post card business, we are informed, is unfounded. It appears that they are only getting their "second wind," as it were, in the post card business, and expect to remain in it so long as there is any profit in it for anybody. Their recent efforts in this direction have been largely on special editions of local view cards, printed in colors—a high grade domestic production, on which they invariably give control to the jobber or dealer ordering them for a given locality. One of the advantages they are in a position to offer is a very prompt delivery, backed by unusual facilities for the production of this class of work.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

SHERMAN, FRENCH & Co., Boston, announce a new volume of poems by Clinton Scollard, entitled "Voices and Visions."

THE MACMILLAN COMPANY announce for this month Professor A. Lawrence Lowell's long-awaited work on "England," which, it is predicted by those who know, will prove scarcely less important in its way than Bryce's "American Commonwealth."

G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS will publish at once a volume of addresses and letters of Charles Evans Hughes, Governor of New York, with an introduction by Jacob Gould Schurman, president of Cornell University, originally prepared for *The Independent* of December 26, 1907.

THE ALICE HARRIMAN COMPANY, Seattle, Wash., will publish at once the second volume in their *Puget Sound Historical Series*, entitled "Reminiscences of Seattle, Washington Territory, and the U. S. Sloop of War *Decatur* during the Indian War of 1855-1856," by the late T. S. Phelps, Rear-Admiral U. S. N.

HENRY HOLT & Co. have in preparation a volume of biographical essays to be entitled "Builders of United Italy," by Rupert Sargent Holland. The subjects are Mazzini, the prophet; Garibaldi, the crusader; Cavour, the statesman; Victor Emmanuel, the king; Manzoni, the novelist; Alfieri, the poet; Daniel Manin, the Venetian patriot, and Gioberti, the philosopher.

GEORGE W. JACOBS & Co. have in preparation in their *American Crises Series* a volume on Andrew Johnson, by Professor Walter L. Fleming of Tulane University, who has done much research in a scholarly way concerning the "Reconstruction" period, and a volume on Stephen A. Douglas, by Professor Henry Parker Willis, formerly of Washington and Lee University.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS will publish this fall a life of Richard Mansfield, by his intimate friend, Paul Wilstach. The work has had the co-operation of Mrs. Mansfield, who put at the author's disposal all her husband's papers and correspondence, and will no doubt form an interesting contribution to the history of the important movement of the drama in this country during the last thirty years.

HARPER & BROTHERS have just ready a new story by Holman Day, author of "Pine Tree Ballads," etc., entitled "King Spruce." It is described as "a romance of a young man's fight for love and fortune in the forests of Maine," and tells of "a mighty battle against the tyranny of the timber barons and their lawless oppression, in short, against the power of 'King Spruce'." The book has a number of illustrations in color.

DODD, MEAD & Co. announce that Elizabeth Ellis's new novel, "The Fair Moon of Bath," has found such immediate favor that they were obliged to double the original edition in order to take care of advance orders, and that

on publication day all but four hundred copies of both editions were sold. The book is considered to be better than the author's former novel, "Barbara Winslow," which had a successful career and is still in demand.

D. APPLETON & Co. will publish next week a work on Queen Victoria from the human side entitled "Victoria, the Woman," by Frank Hird, who deals with the intimate life of the late Queen of England from her childhood days till shortly before her death; also, "Simple Case of Susan," by Jacques Futrelle, author of "The Thinking Machine on the Case," a story of mystery and complications, that, however, has a satisfactory ending.

E. P. DUTTON & Co. have just ready "Idlehurst: a Journal Kept in the Country," the first book of John Halsham, author of "Lone-wood Corner." "Idlehurst" was written ten years ago, and the recent publications of "Lone-wood Corner" has caused a renewed demand for it. It is concerned with "man and nature, and with human life." They will publish later in the month Mrs. Henry de la Pasture's new novel, "The Grey Knight." This is a modern love story, the heroine being a beautiful middle-aged widow, and the hero a fiery Welshman of sixty whose home is a Norman castle among his native hills.

LEMCKE & BUECHNER have sent us a copy of "Qui Êtes-Vous?" (Who Are You?) the first equivalent of "Who's Who" for French celebrities. It is designed on the English original and as yet only includes the small number of 5000 names. This permits the avoidance of abbreviations and makes it possible to give the information of an author's or artist's progressive work in paragraphs, making it far easier to consult than when all the career is run into one long paragraph. It is hoped in time the success of "Qui Êtes-Vous" will make it possible to include all the Latin countries of Europe. Many had already been wishing for a French "Who's Who" and the book will find a demand awaiting it.

THE CLUB FOR COLONIAL REPRINTS, Box 1275, Providence, R. I., will bring out shortly their fourth publication, namely, "Invitation Sérieuse aux Habitants des Illinois," by Un Habitant des Kaskaskias. The tract is reprinted from the only known copy in existence, in the collection of the Library Company of Philadelphia, and will have an introduction and bibliographical notes by Clarence W. Alvord, the vice-president of the recently organized Mississippi Valley Historical Association, and Clarence E. Carter, of the University of Illinois. Dr. Victor Hugo Paltsits, the State Historian of New York, has contributed a letter answering the perplexing question of the place and dating of this interesting contribution to the early history of the development of the Middle West.

FLEMING H. REVELL COMPANY have just published "Esperanto in Fifty Lessons," by Edmond Privat, the well-known Swiss Esperantist, whose marvellous work as an interpreter and teacher of this language is well known; "Esperanto at a Glance: a History,

Grammar and Vocabulary of the International Language," also by Edmond Privat; "Salvation and the Old Theology, Pivot Points in Romans," by Len G. Broughton, originally used as studies for classes; "Ancient Jerusalem," by Dr. Selah Merrill; and "Missions Striking Home," by J. Ernest McAfee, both of which we described in detail in our issue for March 21; also, "Winning the Boy," by Dr. Lilburn Merrill, with an introduction by Judge Ben. B. Lindsey, a book for all persons interested in the education of children.

THE CENTURY COMPANY will publish on the 15th inst. "Lyrics and Landscapes," a collection of verse by Harrison S. Morris, managing director of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts and author of "Madonna, and Other Poems," "A Duel in Lyrics," etc.; also, "My Lost Duchess," by Jesse Lynch Williams, a romance, with a mystery, the scene set chiefly in Fifth Avenue and Central Park, in New York, which will have six insets in tint, in two printings, from drawings by Wallace Morgan, who has also designed a lunette for the cover. They also announce for mid-April publication a volume of "Poems," by Robert Underwood Johnson, associate editor of *The Century Magazine*, and Ellis Parker Butler's "The Cheerful Smugglers"—the smugglers being members and guests of one Fenelby household who attempt to evade a tax laid upon everything coming into the house, an import duty designed to provide an educational fund for the Fenelby baby, for which May Wilson Preston has made humorous pictures to accompany the humorous text.

DOUBLEDAY, PAGE & Co. will publish at once "Prose Every Child Should Know," edited by Miss Mary E. Burt, which will be found useful also by teachers for the many suggestions it contains for "last day" exercises. It is a "grade by grade book," arranged according to age, from the three-year-old child who cries when he misses a word, to the college student and normal school graduate. Part I contains literary treasures for tiny people, and Part VI. concludes the book with questions of the day—money, labor, suffrage, reforms, etc.—for mature minds and debating societies. Eldredge M. Fowler said, in 1895: "The story of the wonderful growth of the agricultural implement industry during the past fifty years, when it is told by a master who pictures all its brightness, will read like a tale of the Arabian Nights." The story is now told for the first time in "The Romance of the Reaper," by Herbert N. Casson, a book of unusual interest and importance to be published by Doubleday, Page & Co. To get the facts at first hand, Mr. Casson travelled 4000 miles, interviewed every living pioneer of the harvesting business, and investigated ten factories. He covered the ground from the Mesaba iron ore range to Galveston, and from New York to St. Paul and Des Moines.

CHATTERTON-PECK Co. announce for publication in July four wild west stories for boys by Captain Wyn Roosevelt, entitled

"Frontier Boys on the Overland Trail," "Frontier Boys in Colorado, or, Captured by Indians," "Frontier Boys in the Grand Canyon, or, a Search for Treasure," and "Frontier Boys in Mexico, or, Mystery Mountain," which form *The Frontier Boys* series. The author's rough life in the west among Indian tribes, cowboys, gold seekers and adventurers has provided him with abundant material for his stories which he writes in a way that will surely win the heart of every boy. They also announce four other books for boys by Ralph Victor, entitled "Comrades on the Farm, or, the Mystery of Deep Gulch," "Comrades in New York, or, Snaring the Smugglers," "Comrades on the Ranch, or, Secret of the Lost River," and "Comrades on a Voyage, or, a Strange Chase," which make up *The Comrades* series. They are written by a man who has travelled and lived in every land, who has shot big game with Sears in India, voyaged with Jack London, and was a war correspondent in Natal and Japan. They have in preparation for girls "Dorothy's Travels," "Dorothy's Schooling" and "Dorothy's House Party," by Evelyn Raymond, the first books of a new series to be entitled *The Dorothy Series*.

JOHN LANE COMPANY publish this week F. J. Randall's humorous tale, "Love and the Ironmonger," publication of which was delayed owing to heavy advance orders. The book is described as marked by the touch of a true farcical imagination akin to that of Anstey's "Vice-Versa." They will publish shortly under the title of "The King's General in the West," an illustrated life of Sir Richard Granville, (1600 to 1659,) compiled from various sources by the Rev. Roger Granville, Sub-Deacon of Exeter Cathedral. The book fills a gap in modern studies of the Great English Rebellion of the Seventeenth Century. They will also bring out this month a new book by Vernon Lee, comprising the delightful essay on "Limbo" and other essays, to which is now added "Ariadne in Mantua," a prose drama in five acts. The author brings a curious charge of plagiarism towards herself in her preface to this play, and readers of her "genius loci" will certainly recall the image of the Palace of Mantua and its lakes. The author found her fancy haunted with a peculiar insistency by this scene, and as she expresses it, "looking into my mind one day, I found that a certain song of the early seventeenth century had entered that palace of Mantua, and was in some manner not easy to define the musical shape of what must have happened there. And that, translated back into human personages, was the drama of the contending forces of impulse and discipline." A uniform edition of Vernon Lee's works is in preparation for early publication by John Lane Company.

HOUGHTON, MIFFLIN & Co. will publish on April 11, another volume of delightful essays by John Burroughs, entitled, "Leaf and Tendril," being not only a collection of pleasant essays on "The Coming of Summer," "A Breath of April," etc., written in the vein of the author's earlier books, but also sug-

gestive papers on the art of seeing, animal intelligence, the theory of protective coloration, and discussion of the deeper problems of life itself and the relations of man to the universe and its ruler. The title is taken from the author's vineyard, the "leaf" standing for the nature sketches and the "tendrils" symbolizing the papers in which "the author has groped his way in some of the great problems, blindly but sensitively, like the tendrils of the grape, seeking some law or truth to cling to." They will also publish on the same date a deep-sea novel entitled, "Home from Sea," by George S. Wasson, author of "Cap'n Simeon's Store," etc., with illustrations by the author, in which Mr. Wasson depicts with power and humor a vanishing type of New England deep-sea fishermen; "Spenser's Poetical Works," arranged as nearly as possible in chronological order, and edited by R. E. Neil Dodge, assistant Professor of English in the University of Wisconsin, a new volume in the *Cambridge Poets* series, with notes, glossary, and a biography and critical introduction; an instructive volume on the relation of parents and children, by Ernest Hamlin Abbott, one of the editors of *The Outlook*, entitled, "On the Training of Parents," which, besides being full of shrewd common sense and psychological information, contains a considerable amount of humor, thus making it suitable for both instructive and entertaining reading; "Lives of Great English Writers, from Chaucer to Browning," by W. S. Hinchman, Instructor in English at Groton School, and Francis B. Gummere, Professor of English at Haverford College, designed for the average reader who has little time for the scholarly study of long biographies, the arrangement being in groups with short transitional introductions to each group, with bibliographical lists, a "Literary Map" and a brief "Chronological Table," also, a revised edition of "Walt Whitman," by Bliss Perry, with new material appended.

AUCTION SALES.

APRIL 8, 9, 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.—Autograph letters, literary mss., and historical documents, including letters to J. Bayard Taylor, Robert H. Sayre, and a well-known Baltimore collector. (986 lots.)—*Davis & Harvey*, (Stan. V. Henkels, auctioneer.)

APRIL 9, 3 P.M.—Autograph letters and historical documents. (330 lots.)—*Merwin Clayton*.

APRIL 10, 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.—Pt. VI. of the library of the Hon. Samuel W. Pennypacker, embracing autograph letters and historical documents relating to Pennsylvania in Colonial times and the Revolution, caricatures, broadsides, portraits and views, including Benjamin West's original study in oil of the death of General Wolfe and Jesse Atwood's oil portrait from life of Abraham Lincoln. (534 lots.)—*Davis & Harvey*, (Stan. V. Henkels, auctioneer.)

APRIL 11, 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.—Bound volumes of old newspapers, being duplicate files from a large public library. (783 lots.)—*Libbie*.

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Eddy, Science and Health, early ed.
Herndon, Lincoln, 3 vols.
Hastings, Bible Dictionary.

Arthur M. Allen, 454 Fulton St., Troy, N. Y.
Kentucky Poems, Cawein.
Technical World, March, April, May, June, Oct., Dec., 1904; Feb., March, May, Oct., '05.

Amer. Bap. Pub. Soc., 37 S. Pryor St., Atlanta, Ga.
Craque O' Doone.
Our Father's House, by Marsh. Pub. by Ziegler.

Amer. Mag. Exch., 3518 Franklin Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Davenport Genealogy.
Dickens, sets. Chapman & Hall.
Ray's History of the Baptists.
Dorcas, Daughter of Faustina.
Arius the Libyan.

American News Co., 39 Chambers St., N. Y.
Child's History of Greece, John Bonner.
Goethe's Faust, trans. by B. J. Anster, 2 vols.
Cats and Kittens, E. J. Boston.
Cloud Environed, G. L. Berry.
Lovers' Club, P. Brown.
This Labyrinthian Life, G. A. Fisher.
Short Stories, L. Griswold.
Checkered Destiny, by J. L. Hempstead.
Gold Bug Story Book, D. H. Stovell.
Stories From Four Languages, W. Brock.
Co-operation Bookkeeping, P. H. Grover.
National Museum of the Louvre, G. Lafenestre.
With the Blue Jackets, J. P. Groves.
History of the U. S. for Young Americans, L. E. Jones. Routledge.
House of Strange Secrets, A. Erie Bayley. Dutton.
Columbia, John R. Musick. Funk.
Pocahontas, John R. Musick. Funk.
House That Jack Built, Denslow, cl. Dill.
Jack and the Bean Stalk, Denslow, cl. Dill.
Little Red Riding Hood, Denslow, cl. Dill.
Mary Had a Little Lamb, Denslow, cl. Dill.
One Ring Circus, Denslow, cl. Dill.
Three Bears, Denslow, cl. Dill.
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Sketches of Am. Authors, J. E. Kenyson, Educational.

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 Modern Fencer, Thos. Griffith. Warne.
 Nobleman's Nest, I. Turgenieff. Hurst.
 Popular Romances of the Middle Ages, Geo. W. Cox. Holt.
 Derrick, L. F. Krause. Dodd.
 Mad Marriage, Fleming, cl.
 Terrible Secret, Fleming, cl.
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 2 Chimmie Fadden's Major Man, Townsend, cl.
 2 Little Princess and Great Plot, L. Eckenstein.
 3 Aim! Fire! Bang!, J. M. Biescher.
 3 Jack of All Grades, R. A. Parker.
 Boy Joiner and Model-Maker, E. A. Davidson.
 American Annual of Photography, 1894, '99, 1900, '01, '02, '03, '05, '06.

Ammon & Mackel, Successors to Leggat Bros.,
 81 Chambers St., N. Y.

McCulloch's Men and Measures.
 Our Firemen, by Costello.
 Record of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution.
 Princess Casamassima.
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Anglo-American Authors Association, Inc., Brunswick Bldg., 225 5th Ave., N. Y.

Chapman & Hall's Dickens, big paper ed.
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 Extra illustrated sets of any author, 10 or more vols.
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Antique Book Store, Toledo, O.

First Principles, etc., T. Paine, Paris, Eng. Press.
 Shakspeare, Routledge chp. ed.

The Antlers Book Shop, 322 Royal St., New Orleans, La.

Tucker, History of U. S. to 1840.
 Stephens' War Between the States.

Assoc. Book Co., 4 W. 40th St., N. Y.

Williams and Bowden's Collection of Hymns. Doncaster, 1801.
 Dr. Neale, Hymns, Chiefly Mediæval. 1865.
 Rowlandson, Collection Hymns.
 Dr. Bonnard, New Jerusalem and Hymns. 1861.
 Montgomery's Psalms and Hymns, 1st ed.
 Burkitt's Help and Guide for Christian Families. 1693.

Bailey & Sackett, Syracuse, N. Y.

25 Real Diary Real Boy, 50-cent.ed.
 Marshall's Short History of Greek Philosophy.
 Sayce, Early Israel and the Surrounding Nations.
 Maspero, Dawn of Civilization.
 Maspero, Struggle of Nations.

Baker & Taylor Co., 33 E. 17th St., N. Y.

Loheira, V., Amadis of Gaul, 3 vols. Scribner.
Baltimore Book Co., 8 E. Lexington St., Baltimore, Md.

Burke's Works, 8vo, cl. L., B. & Co.
 Bancroft's U. S., vol. 10, 8vo, cl.
 St. Ann Parish, Md., Allen.

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The Danites in the Sierras, by Joaquin Miller.
 Shadows of Shasta, by Joaquin Miller.
 My Life Among the Modoc, by Joaquin Miller.
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 Life of Commodore Edw. Preble.
 Life of Commodore Bainbridge.
 Life of Commodore Tucker.
 Civil War regimental and company histories.

A. A. Beauchamp, 6 W. 98th St., N. Y. [Cash.]

Talks to Teachers, Wm. James.
 Will to Believe, James.
 Science and Health, vol. 2. 1878.
 Science and Health. 1875 and '81.
 Christian Science Journals before 1896.

Bloomingdale Bros., 3d Ave. and 59th St., N. Y.
 The Nugents of Carriconna, by Tighe Hopkins.
 D. Appleton & Co.

Bobbs-Merrill Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

Songs and Sonnets of Ronsard.
 Richard Ford, Handbook for Travellers in Spain, 2 vols. London, Murray, 1845 and '47.
 Villon's Life.
 Mary, Queen of Scots, and Who Wrote the Casket Letters.
 Spalding, History of English Literature.
 Andrew D. White, Warfare of Science, 1 vol. 1870.

Bonnell, Silver & Co., 48 W. 22d St., N. Y.

Ripley's Races of Europe. Appl.

Book Exchange, Toledo, O.

Beardsley, Story of Venus and Tannhauser. 1907.
 Merimee, Colomha and Carman.
 Mermaid Series, Arden of Feversham.
 Johnson, Tau, the Key to Heaven.
 Schoolcraft, Algic Researches, vol. 2.

The Boston Book Co., 83 Francis St., Fenway, Boston.

Ganton's Mog., Dec., 1902. \$1.

J. W. Bouton, 10 W. 28th St., N. Y.

J. Boyle O'Reilly's Poems.
 Taylor's Eleusinian Mysteries, illus. ed.
 Knight's Symbolical Language of Ancient Art.

Brentano's, 1228 F St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Hubbard's Respectability.
 Diamond Necklace, Vizetelly ed.
 Cox's Mil. Rem. of Civil War.
 Hemphill's Homeop. Materia Medica.
 Barnard, C. S. A. and Battle Bull Run. 1862.
 Pen, Campaign and Its Antecedents. 1864.
 Battlefields of So. From Bull Run to Fredericksburg. Lond., 1863.
 Adams, Story of a Trooper. N. Y., 1865.
 Conygham, Sherman's March Through So. N. Y., 1865.
 Gillmore, Eng. and Artillery Oper. Against Charleston Harbor, 1863. N. Y., 1865.
 Gilmor, Four Years in Saddle. N. Y., 1866.
 Gerdon, Hist. of Army of Va. From Cedar Mountain to Alexandria. 1880.
 Gregg, Life in Army in Depts. Va. and Gulf. 1868.
 Hazen, Narr. of Mil. Service. 1886.
 Hodgkins, Battle of Ft. Stedman. 1889.
 Jones, Siege of Savannah, Dec., 1864. 1874.
 Jones, Personal Rem., Anecdotes, etc., of Lee. 1874.
 Letterman, Med. Recoll. of Army of Potomac. 1866.
 Marks, Campaign in Va. 1864.
 Memo. of Armies etc., Conf. States, 1861-'65.
 Noyes, Bivouac and Battlefield, etc. 1863.
 Quint, Potomac and Rapidan Army Notes, etc. 1864.
 Rescran's Rpt. on Battle Murfreesboro. 1863.
 Sketches of War Hist., 1861-'65, Papers Before Ohio Comm. of M. O. L. L.
 Smith's Famous Pattery. Washn., 1892.
 Trems, N. J. Troops at Gettysburg, June 5-July 31, 1888.
 Walker, Vt. Brigade in Shenandoah Valley. 1869.

Bridgman & Lyman, 108 Main St., Northampton, Mass.

Trance and Trancoidal States in the Lower Animals, by G. M. Beard.

Brooklyn Institute Museum Library, Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.

U. S. Nat. Mus., no. 37, Dall.

Edmund D. Brooks, 89 Tenth St., South, Minneapolis, Minn.

George Macdonald, Davy and the Goblins.
 Swinburne's Laus Veneris. N. Y., 1871.

The Brown, Eager & Hull Co., 411 Summit St., Toledo, O.

Herndon's Lincoln, any ed. from 1st plates of Belford, Clark & Company.
 Phrenology and Self-Culture.
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American Ancestry, vol. 6. Munsell.

J. W. Cadby, 50 Grand St., Albany, N. Y.
American Archives, vol. 3, 5th Series.
Historical Magazine and Notes and Queries, 1864,
1874-'75.
Poet Lore, vols. 1-2.
Littell's Living Age, vols. 180-185, 201-208.
Amer. Microscopical Journal, Dec., 1897.
St. Nicholas, vols. 1-5.
Architectural Record, vols. 8-10.
Portfolio, Phila., 1808.
North American Review, 1815-'20, 1869-'76.

Campion & Co., 1305 Walnut St., Phila., Pa.
Randolph, Domestic life of Thomas Jefferson.
Rupp, History of Lancaster County, Pa.
The American Business Woman.
Scharf's History of Delaware, 2 vols.
O'Shaughnessy, Arthur, Music and Moonlight.

Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Rimmer, Art Anatomy. Houghton.
United States Commissioner of Education Report,
1893, '94, vol. 2.

The Carnegie Library of San Antonio, Tex.
English Men of Letters, set.
American Men of Letters, set.

Case Library, Cleveland, O.
American Machinist, vol. 29, nos. 22, 24, 25, 28,
30, 32, 33, 50, 52.
G. N. Caspar Co., 431 E. Water St., Milwaukee, Wis.
Geology of Michigan, ed. by C. Rominger, 4 vols.
and Atlas. N. Y., 1880.
Hatton, Rose Culture.
Hardin's Dairy Calf.
Schuricht, Geschichte der Deutschen in Südcarolina.
Croker, Essay on French Revolution.
Lofland, John, Pems. 1846.
Pfrimmer, Driftwood.

The City Library, Springfield, Mass.
Leslie's Weekly, unbound, for year 1898.

A. H. Clapp, 32 Maiden Lane, Albany, N. Y.
Thirty Years With Indian Tribes, H. R. School-
craft. Lippincott Co.

The A. H. Clark Co, Caxton Bldg., Cleveland, O.
Niles' Weekly Register, vol. 2.
Amer. Society of Mechanical Engineers' Transac-
tions, vol. 9.
Field and Forest, complete set or any run of.
Pittenger, Great Locomotive Chase.
Penn, Wm., Autobiography.

W. B. Clarke Co., 26 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.
Commentary on the Works of Ibsen, Boyeson.
Huntington, Show Dog. Warne.
Century Atlas.
Fortunes of Christina McNab.
De Long, Voyage of the *Jeannette*.
Praise of Gardens.

Colgate University Library, Hamilton, N. Y.
Battles and Leaders of the Civil War.
Randall's History of the Common School System of
the State of New York.

Celesworthy's Book Store, 66 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.
Gentle Art of Making Enemies, by Whistler.
Ordinance Manual, 1840, '50.
Purchase of Arms.
Small Arms. 1856.
Gentle Art of Making Enemies, Whistler.

Conneaut Public Library, Conneaut, O.
Percy, The Hermit of Markworth.
Dick, T., Lochandhu.
Dick, T., The Wolf of Badenoch.
Dick, T., Highland Rambles.
Martin, T., Memoirs of W. E. Aytoun.

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Mosso Fear.
Willey, Whither Are We Drifting as a Nation?
Chautauqua, vol. 46.
Weir, J., Lenz Powers.
Beauchamp's Confession.
Dr. Milo Mahan's Works, 3 vols.
Dr. Seyffarth's Antiquity of the Zodiac.
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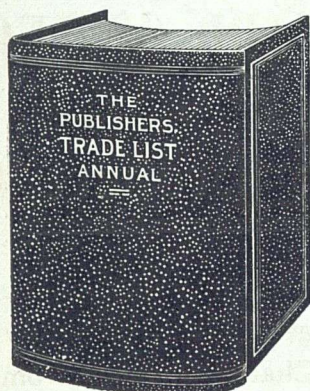
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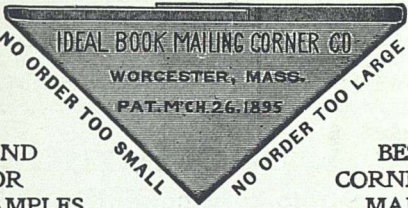
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